

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:  
Confidential Minutes Show  
How Soap Makers Used White  
House; Bryce Harlow Pulled  
The Wires

## Reds Gather Mekong Steam

SAIGON (AP) — The Communist command's offensive slowed in some sectors of South Vietnam today, but gathered steam in the Mekong Delta south of Saigon, where rocket, mortar and small ground assaults nearly doubled.

The United States, meanwhile, rushed more planes and ships to Indochina to join a bombing campaign against military targets in North Vietnam.

Most of the Communist ground attacks were aimed at regional and local force militia outposts which form a defensive perimeter around villages and hamlets.

Field sources said initial reports indicated that casualties were not high, but that many troops were "missing." This indicated that many of the militiamen may have fled, been abducted or willingly accompanied the enemy.

To the north of Saigon, government defenders reportedly were still holding at the besieged provincial capital of An Loc. 60 miles above the capital on Highway 13.

## Rusk: 'Bad News In Vietnam'

DECATUR, Ga. (AP) — Former Secretary of State Dean Rusk says the American public should be prepared for "bad news," as North Vietnam continues its offensive in South Vietnam.

"We have made a decision to get out of Vietnam, and we have to be braced for the consequences," Rusk said. "We can't have it both ways. When we made a decision like that, we have to be ready for bad news."

"It is my opinion that some of the people who urged the President to get the troops out of Vietnam as soon as possible now will blame him if the military situation goes bad."

Rusk, who served as secretary of state under Presidents John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson, also said in a speech before the Decatur Rotary Club that he doubted the significance of the Paris Peace talks.

"My hunch is, he said, "that this particular dispute is most likely to be resolved on the ground rather than in Paris."

Rusk called the new North Vietnamese offensive a violation of an agreement made with the Johnson administration in 1968, and added:

"It will be interesting to find out if at long last some of the news commentators in this country will talk about the North Vietnamese escalation of the war."

## Ichord Files For Re-Election

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Eighth District Congressman Richard H. Ichord filed for re-election Friday. He is serving his sixth term in Congress and is chairman of the House Committee on Internal Security.

Last year he toured the state for several months, testing sentiment about his running for the Democratic nomination for governor. He finally decided to try for re-election to Congress.

No one else has filed in the 8th District. Ichord, 45, is a veteran of the Navy Air Force in World War II and holds degrees in accounting and law from the University of Missouri.

He served from 1953 to 1961 in the Missouri House of representatives, the last two years as speaker.

Friday night in a Rolla speech he urged his constituents to press for a start of construction on the Meramec River. He suggested they write the White House urging action.

"There are no legitimate environmental reasons why the (dams) should not be constructed," Ichord said. "The planned projects are the best possible use of the river."

## LBJ Heart Attack Serious

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (AP) — A heart specialist said today former President Lyndon B. Johnson suffered a serious heart attack Friday morning and his chances for recovery are "about 8 in 10."

Dr. John Willis Hurst appeared at a news conference at the University of Virginia Hospital here with Lady Bird Johnson by his side.

Hurst said Johnson suffered a myocardial infarction, which is a narrowing of an artery which deprives the heart of its blood supply.

The most recent attack, the physician said, was about the same intensity of one suffered by Johnson in 1955, "but his response is much better now."

Hurst said the former president probably would have to remain in the hospital "more than a few days" but hopefully less than several weeks.

The 63-year-old former chief executive was taken to the University of Virginia Hospital here before daylight Friday and was taken to the hospital's cardiac care unit.

Hurst, a heart specialist from the University of Georgia Medical Center, was flown here by special jet to treat Johnson. Hurst treated Johnson in late 1955, when the then U.S. senator suffered a heart attack.

Mrs. Johnson appeared to be relatively cheerful.

## Fire Breaks Out In Store

A fire of undetermined origin broke out at 11:40 a.m. yesterday at the Coffey T.V. and Appliance Store, 107 West Center.

Firemen extinguished the blaze before it caused substantial damage. Fire broke out in a wall inside the store.

## New Quake Fault In SeMo

ROLLA, Mo. (AP) — The last two earthquakes felt in southeastern Missouri have occurred in a geological fault which runs parallel to the well-known New Madrid fault, a scientist at the University of Missouri-Rolla said Friday.

Dr. Reinhard Frohlich, director of the school's Geophysical Observatory, said it is possible that some new seismic activity is occurring in the central United States.

The last earthquake felt in the area was March 29. The epicenter of the quake was 168 miles from the UMR station in the northeastern part of Arkansas. The shock registered 4.3 on the Richter scale.

Frohlich said the seismic station at Rolla and others in the area are making careful studies of information recorded about seismic activity in the area.

## Six Rings Missing

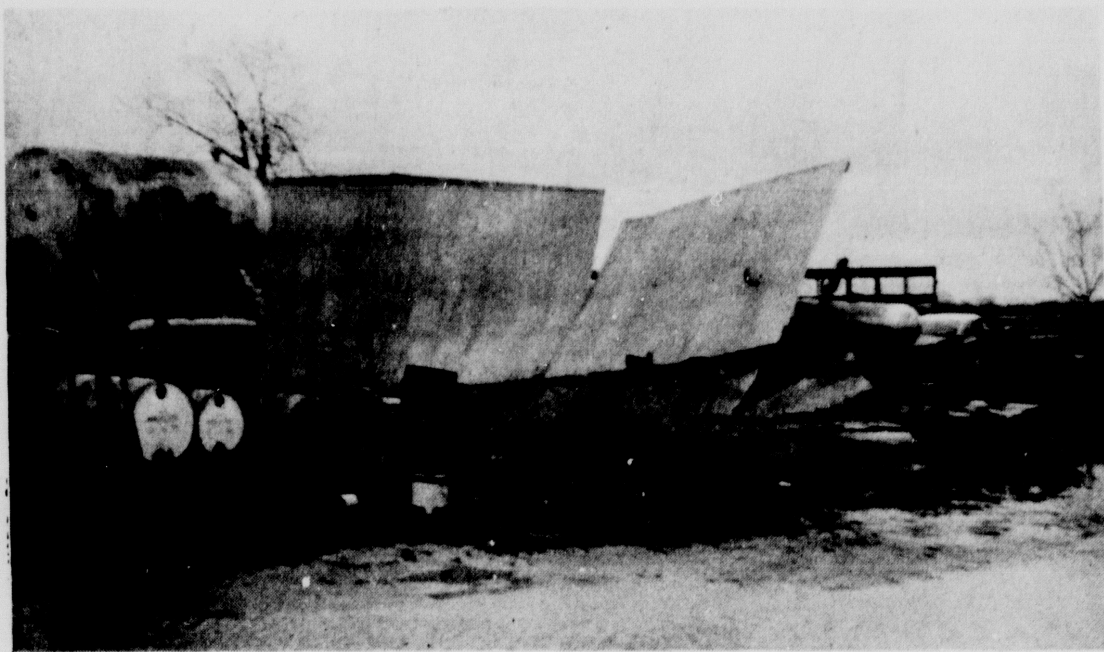
Six rings valued at \$350 were reported missing from a jewelry counter at Wal-Mart Discount Store on east Malone yesterday.

The theft was reported to police at 5:45 p.m. The case in which the rings were kept was thought to be locked when the rings disappeared, according to police. Neither police nor employees could explain how the rings vanished.

## Jaycee Installation Tonight

Jaycee officers will be installed at an awards dinner tonight at 7 at the country club.

New officers are Rick Adams of the Bank of Sikeston, president; Dennis Ziegenhorn of Ziegenhorn Insurance Agency, first vice president; Allen Blanton, editor of The Daily Standard, second vice president; Steve Sikes of Sikes Sporting Goods, secretary; Robbie Henley, of Burden-McClung Electric Service, treasurer; Darrel Stewart of Tucker Truck Lines and David Sloan of Waters and Associates, state directors.



STRONG WINDS estimated at 40 miles per hour demolished a shed at 2:30 p.m. yesterday on land farmed by Charles Hannah two and one half miles south of Sikeston. Tornado warnings were out until 6 p.m. yesterday and the rainfall was measured at .52 inch. Extensive hail damage was reported to cars, windows, and awnings in Bloomfield yesterday.

## Basler Workers Walk Out, Picket

CHARLESTON — Workers at Basler Electric Company left their jobs and established picket lines at the plant Friday at 1 p.m.

According to Herb Roach, director of personnel for the Highland, Ill., based firm, 52 of the 57 employees have been involved in contract negotiations with the company two months.

Employees at the factory, which manufactures electrical transformers, voted in November of 1971 for representation by the Steel Workers Union.

Asked about the reasons

for the walkout, Roach said:

"It is a crossbreed of items. It would be unfair to both sides to say the problem is wages alone."

In response to a report that machinery essential to operation and manufacture of transformers was moved out prior to 11 a.m. Friday, Roach said that because of the nature of and various locations of the company, machinery is periodically moved from one plant to another.

He also said that no date has been set for further negotiations.

## Pickets Ordered Away

BENTON — Temporary injunction was issued by Judge Marshal Craig yesterday ordering members of the Iron Workers Union of Cape Girardeau to remove pickets from the entrance to the Cape Girardeau Municipal Airport.

The Iron Workers are picketing the Rodgers Construction Co. of Dexter, which is building a hangar at the airport with non-union personnel.

City officials, who sought the injunction claiming the picketing constituted a secondary boycott and was illegal. They said other union personnel refused to cross picket lines and make deliveries or use airport facilities. The picket lines were set up on Nash Road.

The injunction stipulates the Iron Workers may picket the construction site only. A hearing on making the injunction permanent will be held May 5 in Benton.

## Man Sought In Thefts

CHARLESTON — A Sikeston man is being sought for questioning in connection with theft of four tape players, a shotgun and a rifle, according to Chief of Police Stanley Mungle.

Police recovered the stolen articles at 5 a.m. today at a house on West Ada Street.

According to Mungle, Officer Willie Jarrett observed a man tampering with a car on West Ada Street today and when authorities approached him, he ran.

Time of the thefts has not been determined. The articles have been identified by owners.

Police said the items were taken to the house on Ada St. and asked an unidentified occupant to keep them.

Charleston police are investigating.

## Two Arrests

CHARLESTON — Two were arrested Friday by police on a charge of public intoxication.

Appearing today in court was Delbert Ray Crane, 36, Charleston, who was fined \$16.

Alvie Burton of Benton forfeited \$25 bond.

## Weather Review

Weather observations are for the 24-hour periods ending at 7 a.m. daily.

	Rain	High	Low
April 1	.00	49	29
April 2	trace	64	29
April 3	.53	63	31
April 4	.00	55	32
April 5	.00	65	34
April 6	.12	77	47
April 7	.37	77	29
Rainfall for week	1.02		
Rainfall for month	1.02		
Rainfall for year	11.56		
	69	70	71
Jan.	10.56	.96	4.01
Feb.	2.28	2.66	6.81
Mar.	3.20	5.92	1.68
Apr.	5.96	8.39	2.34
May	1.96	2.97	3.68
June	1.26	8.61	7.70
July	3.29	2.18	5.05
Aug.	3.29	3.41	5.32
Sept.	2.17	4.97	4.74
Oct.	2.99	5.04	1.71
Nov.	3.78	2.26	2.54
Dec.	2.02	3.87	4.20
	43.50	53.18	49.78

# Airline Pirate Jumps With \$500,000 Ransom

PROVO, Utah (AP) — A manhunt focused on this central Utah city today for a young hijacker who leaped from a United Air Lines 727 jetliner Friday night with \$500,000 ransom after forcing a zigzag flight across the West.

Aerial flares lighted early morning skies over nearby Utah Lake as hundreds of lawmen started a search for the armed man.

This was the seventh time in just under five months that parachutes and ransom figured in airline piracy.

The nine-hour odyssey began over the Rocky Mountains almost 30 minutes after the plane left Denver at 2:36 p.m. MST when a mustachioed passenger wearing mirrored sunglasses, a pink shirt and a blue pinstripe suit ordered the Los Angeles-bound plane diverted to San Francisco.

Mrs. Dick McLennan of Denver, who sat next to the hijacker, said she saw no weapon but did see the man pass notes to the captain.

A CBS Newsman on the plane, Jim Kilpatrick, said, "The notes that were passed back and forth were all pre-written."

Sandy Wilkinson, a 25-year-old off-duty UAL stewardess on the flight, said she did not see any weapons either but was told the hijacker had a hand grenade and pistol.

One passenger said the hijacker pulled a pistol.

The pilot said the hijacker told him he had "two hand guns, plastic explosives and hand grenades," but he saw only a pistol.

He said the hijacking was "a very well executed plan."

All but three of the 85 passengers had boarded in Denver, where airline officials said the only security precaution was a check of passengers against a "profile" of hijacker characteristics. The plane was Flight 855, originating in Newark, N.J.

For three hours the plane sat at the far end of Runway

19—Left, about a mile from main terminal at San Francisco International Airport, while the airline provided what the hijacker had demanded—four parachutes, fuel for 4,000 miles of flight and \$500,000.



The money in two suitcases was placed on a ramp about 100 feet from the plane and picked up shortly after 7 p.m. PST.

The passengers and one stewardess then were allowed to leave the plane and it took

off at 7:41 PST, headed east.

The Air Force said during the evening that F106 Delta Daggers at Hamilton Air Force Base had been alerted, but it refused to confirm they had been sent to follow the airliner.

THE MISSOURI HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT closed this bridge on U.S. 60 over the St. Francis River near Fisk, after an empty flatbed truck ripped up a 200-foot section of railing and damaged structural beams. A tire blew out, causing the crash. Highway officials from Jefferson City will inspect the bridge damage today.

## Three Face Rate Cutting Charges

JEFFERSON CITY — Two carriers and a shipper in Southeast Missouri were ordered today to appear at a hearing before the Missouri Public Service Commission concerning the alleged hauling of rock at charges lower than those set by the Commission.

Those ordered to appear at the hearing June 1 are William White of Marston, William H. Nelson of Cape Girardeau, both common carriers, Southeast Missouri Stone Company of Cape Girardeau and D. L. Harrison, president of the stone company.

The Commission directed them to disclose at the hearing the circumstances of the transportation of crushed stone from the stone company to a stock pile adjacent to Interstate 55 south of Portageville.

They were ordered to show cause why the hauling was not in violation of state

law, why the carriers' certificates should not be suspended or revoked, and why the general counsel of the commission should not be directed to seek penalties against the carriers for hauling at less than the prescribed rates and the shipper for aiding and abetting the carriers.

The commission said that during the period Nov. 6, 1968, through Feb. 28, 1969, the carriers allegedly collected a rate of \$1.80 per ton, while the lawful rate was \$2.60 per ton.

Its information indicates, the commission said, that a settlement was later made at the rate of \$2 per ton, but this resulted in a total charge less than that prescribed by the commission of \$27,170.

The penalty for hauling at less than the prescribed rates and for aiding and abetting is a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$2,000 for each offense.

## Close Bridge After Truck Rips Rails

FISK, Mo. (AP) — An empty flatbed truck ripped up a 200-foot section of railing and damaged structural beams on a U.S. 60 bridge over the St. Francis River near Fisk Friday.

The Missouri Highway Department ordered the bridge closed until further notice.

Police said the driver apparently lost control of the truck as it approached the bridge, about 10 miles east of Poplar Bluff.

The driver was identified as Graham Lewis Davis, 29, of St. Louis. He was reported in satisfactory condition at Poplar Bluff Hospital Friday night with cuts and a possible back injury.

The truck, which was heavily damaged, was leased to the M.W.M. Truck Lines of Arcadia.

Police said traffic was being detoured across Missouri T and Route 51, a distance of about 30 miles.

## Man Hurt In Fall From Roof

Larry Kinsey, 900 Vernon, received a mild concussion yesterday when he fell 10 feet from a roof of a house on Blanton Street in Clayton Heights.

Kinsey, an employee of Storey Construction Co., was repairing roof damage when he fell and landed on his side.

Kinsey said he was trying to back down to a ladder and missed it.

## It's Inside....

Kim Nothdurft, a junior at Delta high school, has been named District Star State Farmer. Turn to ... page 4.

Alfalfa weevil larvae have been detected in fields in Southeast Missouri. Turn to ... page 6.

... page 5.

Twenty four baseball owners unanimously rejected an offer Friday by the players to start the season while pension negotiations resume. Turn to ... page 6.

## ....And Outside

Clear to partly cloudy and cold tonight, low around 30. Considerable sunshine and a little warmer Sunday, high in low to mid 60s. Probabilities of rain 5 per cent tonight, 10 Sunday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Mild weather Monday, a change to cooler Tuesday and Wednesday. High Monday in 70s, falling into 60s by Wednesday. Lows from around 50 Monday to low 40s by Wednesday. A chance of rain about Monday.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 77 and 29 degrees. Rain, accompanied by strong winds and scattered hail, measured .37 inch.

Sunset today ..... 6:27 p.m.  
Sunrise tomorrow ..... 5:33 a.m.  
Moonrise tomorrow 2:53 a.m.  
New Moon ..... April 13  
Prominent Star  
Sirius in S. west ..... 8:23 p.m.

VISIBLE PLANETS  
Saturn sets 9:47 p.m.  
Venus just north of Saturn.  
Mars above Saturn.  
Jupiter in S. east ..... 2:09 a.m.



Saturday, April 8 — Indented Margin Festival  
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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

When a man tells a girl he is not worthy of her, he doesn't mean it, as she finds out after they are married.  
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#### GREAT DECISION FOR NORTHERN IRELAND

The action of Prime Minister Heath suspending the government in Northern Ireland is very encouraging. The discrimination against Catholics in the last fifty years has not been the policy of England. Now that the government in Belfast has been disbanded, the Catholics there should realize they must give the new government every consideration. There is every reason to believe that Catholics under British rule will be treated just as fairly as they are in England.

The Protestants knew changes had to come. It was quite obvious to almost everyone the Belfast government had failed. The Protestants should be relieved that a period of hope will replace the turmoil of the past few years. This was not a religious issue. Just as Catholics in England have been treated fairly for generations, so have Protestants been treated fairly in the Irish Republic, centered in Dublin.

There is still a long way to go. There is still a lot to be done. The violence must cease, whether inspired by the old IRA or by Marxists. It will not be an easy task. England must deal with extremists on both sides. But it can no longer let suspects be arrested and imprisoned for months without trial. Due process will have to be restored.

The new government will have to change old ways, minimize old hostility, abolish gradually old patterns of discrimination, particularly in employment. These things cannot be done in a year or two. But they can be done, and we are confident the England of the 1970's can do it.

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Inspection and grading of meat and poultry are two separate, but related programs within USDA's Consumer and Marketing Service. The inspection program covers wholesomeness and proper labeling. To pass inspection, meat and poultry products must be from healthy animals and birds which were handled or processed under strict sanitary conditions, must not be adulterated, and must be truthfully packaged and labeled. The other program is grading for quality. Grading is a voluntary service to meat packers, poultry processors and others who request it and pay a fee for the service.  
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#### POLITICAL QUESTIONS OF THE MONTH

Is there anything unusual -- or illegal -- about a business corporation's offering to pick up part of the tab for a national political convention?

U. S. News & World Report says that question is at the heart of much of the hullabaloo in Washington over the nomination of Richard Kleindienst to be the next Attorney General.

A Congressional committee wants to know what, if anything, Mr. Kleindienst had to do with an out-of-court settlement of a federal anti-trust case against the International Telephone & Telegraph Company.

The case was settled, it is charged (mostly by Jack Anderson, the columnist), after the company had volunteered to defray some costs of this year's Republican Convention in San Diego.

The controversy has raised many questions about who provides the Convention money and how it is used. U. S. News & World Report comments that these answers come from officials of both parties.

1. How are national conventions financed?  
In any number of ways. Cities often bid for the privilege of hosting a convention and, generally speaking, they welcome any financial assistance to support their bid.

2. Do corporations or other businesses often help finance political conventions?

Very often -- through certain kinds of contributions which are permitted, by donations of services, by paying for advertising that appears in convention programs, and in other ways.

3. Are these contributions made to the Republican and Democratic parties?

No. They go to civic groups or to special committees that are set up to underwrite the costs of conventions.

This year, for example, San Diego County and its business community pledged \$600,000 in cash to support its successful bid to be the convention city for the Republicans in August.

In the case of the Democratic Party, the Miami Beach Tourist Development Authority, the hotel association, and a Governor's committee representing businessmen, corporations and party fund-raisers pledged approximately \$450,000 in cash. The Democratic Convention will be held in that city in July.

4. What is money spent on?

It goes to pay for temporary construction work in the convention hall, rent for office space, printing tickets and signs, telephone service, decorations, salary and travel costs for party officials and staff members, many other expenses.

Democrats will not have to pay rent this year for their convention hall because the one in Miami Beach is owned by the city. Republicans, however, will have to pay rent for the privately owned arena they will use in San Diego.

5. How much does it cost to stage a national political convention?

Republicans estimate that their cash outlay will be between 1.5 and 2 million dollars. The Democrats hope to hold their expenses to around 1 million dollars.

6. Since conventions cost so much, and host cities

put up much of the money, why do they often go to great lengths to be chosen as a site?

A major reason is that these big gatherings bring a lot of extra money to town. They attract thousands of delegates and alternates, party officials and workers, and a huge press corps. By one calculation, each city can count on as much as 7 million dollars that will be spent by these people alone.

7. Are their laws governing donations to political conventions?

The Corrupt Practices Act prohibits direct corporate contributions. But various federal rulings permit certain exceptions. One, by the Internal Revenue Service, allows corporations to buy advertising in convention programs and to treat the cost as a business expense when figuring taxes.

8. How big a contribution did the International Telephone & Telegraph Company make to the Republican Convention committee?

There have been statements that the corporation offered as much as \$400,000 to defray expenses at the Convention.

ITT officials denied this much was offered. They said a subsidiary, Sheraton Hotels Corporation, paid \$100,000 to the San Diego Convention and Visitors Bureau fund, and offered to provide \$100,000 more to match local donations, if they were needed. Sheraton has two hotels in San Diego and a third to be opened there before the Convention.

On March 8, Richard Herman, National Committee official in charge of Convention arrangements, said that Republicans would accept no more than \$25,000 from Sheraton and that figure might be reduced to keep it in line with the contributions from other corporations.

Meanwhile, in Washington, Richard Kleindienst has told the Senate Judiciary Committee that he had known nothing of the contributions by the ITT subsidiary when the anti-trust suit against the corporation was in progress.

9. Is there controversy over funds for the Democratic convention?

Yes. Senator Bob Dole, Republican National Committee chairman, has criticized the American Telephone & Telegraph Company's plans to install phones this year at the Democratic gathering. He said this would seem to be an illegal loan or contribution, because Democrats owe AT&T 1.5 million dollars for service during the 1968 campaign. Later, AT&T said this year's service will be on a cash basis.

So who foots the bills for the political conventions? What the above doesn't answer, we suggest that you ask your party's state chairman -- and watch him stutter.  
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Are your French-fried potatoes soggy and greasy? Maybe your frying fat is not hot enough. Temperature of the fat should be 370 to 385 degrees F. At this temperature, a one-inch bread cube will brown in 20 to 45 seconds, according to U. S. Department of Agriculture home economists. Potatoes should be cooked in small batches so temperature of the fat will not be lowered drastically.  
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A good formula for personal saving appeared in the Carolina LP Gas News: "In spite of rising prices, and in some respects because of them, thrift is growing more important everyday. Money for big-ticket items and education takes longer to accumulate. The only way to solve the problem is through a program of regular saving. Good intentions are vulnerable if not bolstered by determination to deposit a fixed amount every payday. Whether it be \$2 or \$20, the principle is the same: you have to keep steadily at it. Here's how to succeed at saving: Save for something. Choose an object -- something you want, something worthwhile. Thrift for its own sake is commendable, but have a 'deferred satisfaction' to look forward to makes it fun. Pay yourself first. Save before you spend. Proceed on the basis that you owe yourself that certain amount to keep. Then saving becomes a habit, and easier to do. Plan your spending. A budget helps, proving a blueprint, so you can save according to plan. Don't scrimp. Needless economics can become a burden. Saving too much is as bad as saving too little, and being miserly takes the zest out of living. Don't ruin your program by saving too much too quickly."  
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A fellow who ignores traffic laws may well find he has been hearing - around on the highway...  
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... Build a better mousetrap, and it'll turn out that someone else had a prior patent...  
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#### BIG 'OUT OF BUSINESS' SALE

The French government is trying to unload the biggest white elephant of all time -- the \$600-million Maginot Line of fortresses which, true to military tradition, was built to fight the next war according to the last war's strategies.

For years, the government tried to persuade the army to give up the long-abandoned line, which the National Geographic describes as a 300-mile chain of buried battleships. Finally, in November, the first forts were put up for auction. All but the largest installations will be on sale this year.

The forts have one thing going for them -- a panoramic view of German's similar folly, the Siegfried Line.

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You are always hearing timid people laughingly compared to the rabbit. Considering the number of hunters with shotguns and the number of dogs with long legs, it is the rabbit's business to be timid.  
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An old bachelor will engage himself to marry young girls over and over, and get away, only to be caught by a widow. It always amuses people. At least ten girls prepared their clothes to marry a certain Sikeston bachelor, and he always managed to escape. But he began paying attention to a widow, and she nailed him in two months. A widow knows how to handle men from experience. An ordinary man is small potatoes in the hands of a smart widow.  
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A successful marriage counselor is a make-up artist.



#### TOMORROW

APRIL 9 - SUNDAY  
BUDDHA DAY, Apr. 9. HI Festivities on all resort islands.

HARMONY WEEK, Apr. 9-15 Purpose: "To commemorate the birthday of our Society." Sponsor: Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America Inc., Hugh A. Ingraham, Dir., Comm., 6315 Third Ave., Kenosha, WI 53141.

NATIONAL BOYS' CLUB WEEK, Apr. 9-15. Purpose: "To promote cause of juvenile DECECY and work done toward this end by 950 Boys' Clubs of America." Sponsor: Boys' Clubs of America, E. J. Stapleton, Dir. Publ. Info., 771 First Ave., New York, NY 10017.

NATIONAL HOSTILITY WEEK, Apr. 9-15. Purpose: "Students of the Heckle Academy Division view for the crown of Hostility Champion by demonstration exercises in how to squelch a heckler, how to get along in a hostile world, how to face pickets and demonstrations, and overcome hostility at home." Info. from: George Q. Lewis, Humor Societies of America, 342 Madison Ave., New York, NY 10017.

PAN AMERICAN WEEK, Apr. 9-15. By Presidential proclamation. (Always issued for the week including April

#### 14, except in 1965).

SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL DAY, Apr. 9. Anniversary of enactment of legislation which made the late British statesman an honorary citizen of the U. S.

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APRIL 10 - MONDAY  
MAGNETICS CONFERENCE (INTERNATIONAL), Apr. 10-13. Kyoto, Japan.

SALVATION ARMY FOUNDER'S DAY, Apr. 10. On this day in 1829 William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army, was born in London.

TOP OF THE WORLD SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS, Apr. 10-17. Inuvik, Northwest Territories, Canada. "Wind-up race for many of the world's finest cross country skiers."

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The kids were whooping it up to a Western on TV, as the wife was running her sewing machine in the den, and the teenage daughter was giving full volume to her rock and roll records in the bedroom. Finally the husband could stand it no longer, so he phoned the widow next door. "Can I come over for a little peace and quiet?" he pleaded.

"Why, certainly," she replied happily, "As long as you keep quiet!"  
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#### WHEN SALES PEOPLE DON'T KNOW

An advertising copywriter for Beautyrest Mattresses once paid a visit to a furniture store to check out a new dealer display. While he was browsing through the department, he watched a woman customer who was scrutinizing a Beauty rest. She pointed to another mattress and asked, "Isn't that an innerspring mattress, too?"

The clerk told her it was. She then asked, "Why does the Beautyrest cost twice as much? What is the difference?"

The clerk couldn't tell her. The ad man walked down the street to another store and pretended he was a mattress customer. He asked the clerk the same question and got a blank look.

He tried this same approach in six more stores and in none of them did he get a satisfactory answer to his question. "What is the difference?"

He returned to his typewriter and put together a series of ads extolling the superior construction of the Beautyrest plus other virtues, and told why it cost more than competitive makes. While he was at it, he prepared an informative booklet for retail sales people so they would be able to answer all questions intelligently and convincingly forever after.

## Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON—Confidential minutes, kept under wraps for a year, reveal how the soap suds crowd used the White House to try to prevent the banning of phosphates from laundry detergents.

The backstage operator who pulled the right wires inside the White House, the minutes indicate, was Procter & Gamble's Bryce Harlow. He knew his way around the White House, having spent two years on leave as President Nixon's chief lobbyist on Capitol Hill.

Harlow was called back to the soap factory in December of 1970 to bolster the defense against the environmentalists, who were up in arms over the phosphate menace to the nation's waterways. The phosphate detergents that housewives flush down their laundry drains, say the environmentalists, stimulate the growth of algae. The algae consume oxygen in the water, thus literally choking lakes and streams.

The soap makers, fearing a complete ban of phosphates, wanted the White House to push for federal regulation of the phosphate content of detergents. It would be better to let the federal government set the phosphate limits, they felt, than to risk a complete ban or to deal with varied local regulations.

The lobbyists and lawyers for the detergent industry, soft-soap artists all, held a secret strategy session last April 22 in the Washington law offices of Pierson, Ball and Dowd. The firm represents the Soap and Detergent Association.

"It was initially suggested that Bryce Harlow act as chairman for the group," begins the long-suppressed minutes, "but Harlow himself suggested that he should maintain a low-profile visibility..."

—WHITE HOUSE CONTACTS—  
He told the group that he was working inside the White House with presidential aides Peter Flanagan, John Whitaker and Charles Colson. Harlow had also consulted, he said, with Tim Atkeson, general counsel for the President's Environmental Quality Council, and Jim Lynn, then

general counsel for the Commerce Department.

Harlow quoted Atkeson as saying "the last thing in the world would be for industry to propose" that federal limits be set on the phosphate content of detergents. This "automatically would be suspect," Harlow said Atkeson had told him.

Harlow also reported that Lynn was already at work preparing an administration proposal for special legislation to give the federal government control over the ingredients in detergents. According to Harlow, Lynn suggested "that the general hysteria on the subject of phosphate detergents would be slowed down if the federal position were announced."

Harlow cheerfully acknowledged to us that he had spread the soap industry's story to anyone who would listen in the White House and on Capitol Hill.

As he told it, the government had pressured the soap makers to stop using phosphates and to substitute a chemical called NTA, then had abruptly changed signals and had called upon them not to use NTA either. This was forcing them to use caustics which are even more harmful, Harlow said.

All the soap people want, he said, is for the government to make up its mind what should be put into laundry cleaners.

Harlow also denied our report, printed in an earlier column, that he had passed on inside information to Procter & Gamble while he was a White House aide. We had been unable to reach him during the Easter holiday, so we went ahead with a detergents story without talking to him. The story mentioned that he had tipped off Procter & Gamble about a government crackdown on phosphates.

He returned our call after Easter and told us emphatically: "I never talked to any Procter & Gamble people, except to discuss my return to the company, while I was in the White House. I also flatly instructed White House aides not to discuss anything

with me that affected Procter & Gamble. I am proud of my conduct."

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Worker, examining his paychecks: "Well, I see the Government got another raise."

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Johann Wolfgang von Goethe, the great German poet, owned a beautiful home at Weimer, Germany. It was the object of admiration of the people, many of whom would stand for long periods just to admire its beauty. Hospitable and friendly toward all, the owner penned these words about his home in 1828: "Why do you stay in front of this house? My portal is always ajar. Just come in. Don't be afraid - you will always be very welcome indeed." The house which was partly destroyed in World War II, has been reconstructed.  
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A man will remain a rag-picker as long as he has only the vision of a rag-picker. Doing easy things does not tax us, neither does it challenge us. It is a good plan to tackle one hard job every day. If we do this, we will find that we have exercised our will-power, our mind, and our body to good purpose. One of the rewards of learning to do hard things is the capacity for doing still harder things. So says the Canadian Home Leaguer.  
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After a tour of the United States, a European was being interviewed on his impressions. The man had seen our skyscrapers, inspected our factories, and visited our natural wonders. But when the reporters asked what had impressed him most, he replied simply, "The size of the American garbage can!"  
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The darkest hour in any man's life is when he sits down to plan how

He can get money without earning it.  
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If through all his days a man tells the truth as he sees it, keeps his word as he gives it, and works well at his task -- he gets what is called a good reputation.

It is better to think a good thought about a bad man than to think an evil thought about a good man. \*\*\*

## H. L. Hunt

### UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT FUND

By admitting communist China, the United Nations unmistakably proved that its role in the world affairs is anything but beneficial, either to the interests of the United States or to the cause of freedom throughout the world. Yet the U.S. continues to pour money into the U.N. and its various agencies.

One particularly distressing example is the United Nations Development Fund. (UNDP). This year the U.S. is contributing \$86,268 million to the UNDP budget, more than three times as much as the next largest contributor. This is approximately one-third of the agency's entire budget.

The U.S. should be taking steps to cut off its contributions to U.N. agencies, in view of the policies pursued by that body. But Rudolph Peterson, former head of the Bank of America and new director of the UNDP recently announced that he would seek an increased appropriation of \$100 million from the U.S. Congress.

Fortunately, some members of Congress may not be willing to go along. When Foreign Aid Administrator John Hannah appeared before the House Appropriations subcommittee to testify on the UNDP, he asked if communist countries were eligible to receive UNDP funds. When he said yes, Congressman Otto Possmann of Louisiana replied: "The communist countries, who contribute little or nothing, dip into the pot into which we put 35 or more per cent. It goes without saying that is the percentage we are putting into communist countries, willy-nilly." It is time we stopped putting this money into communist countries, and in fact time we stopped putting any more money into the United Nations.

## Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Inside Labor  
Big Pension Grab: baseball union's rhubarb seen aimed at cutting into owner's right to run clubs

NEW YORK: - A chunky old sandlot catcher by name of George Meany who's still slugging once said that it was "fatheaded" to unionize professional athletes, baseball and football players, et al. Well, it was an egghead out of New York University, now almost 55 years old, by name of Marvin Miller, who, by playing way over his head, has whipped the Major League Baseball Players Assn. into a union with all that goes with it under the labor acts.

Meany, who can tell you why Davy Jones pulled the Detroit Tigers out in baseball's first strikeback in 1912, and who can rip out Casey Stengel's batting average with the Dodgers that same year, has said that all a ballplayer needs is a good lawyer to negotiate his contract.

But the boys from the diamonds got too hogish. And Miller got them into this rhubarb by trying to appease his small constituency with a strike which has cost some pitch battle over what to do...

h o n e s t - to goodness workingmen some daily bread at the ball parks. Miller is a genius at bargaining since he comes out of the Federal Civil Service, the Wage Stabilization section of the War Labor Board, the Machinists Union and the United Steelworkers.

But he and his small union foul-balled this one. I checked some records. No one gets paid like the baseball pros -- list of whom would just as lief stiff a waiter or leave a two-bit on a \$20 meal as spit at the umpires (who first brought unionism to the ball grounds).

Just look at what a pro ball player who makes the big time at 19 or 20, puts in four seasons and quits, will get if he waits like all other ordinary citizens until he's 65. \$618.04 a month, at least, for life.

That beats hawking peanuts, popcorn and hot dogs. And if he puts in 5 years he'll draw \$772.56; if he plays 10 years and waits, he gets \$1,545.11; on a 15-year basis he'll draw \$1,745.11, and with 20 years behind him, \$1,945.11. These are monthly figures for life, beginning at age 65.

There's nothing like it in the world. Especially for such "workers" who have half a year or more in which to work their own businesses. And if they don't work after 65, they'll have their own income, their pensions and Social Security. You can live on this.

Furthermore, they are averaging \$31,000 to \$32,000 "a season" and 22 of them pull in \$100,000 annually and lots more.

They want more, so Miller

ran them onto an imaginary picket line all the while screaming as though he was back with steel labor lawyer Arthur Goldberg and former steel union leader Dave McDonald who was ousted -- screaming "strikebreaker" and other epithets at one club owner and calling the others puppets.

So Miller has got himself a union and posh offices here with his wall-to-wall carping. And even George Meany has said that such unionism could get troublesome for the big sport -- for once a union, always a union.

What if Howard Coughlin's International Union of Office and Professional Employees Local 153, with jurisdiction over the Yankee and Shea Stadiums' peanut and hot dog hawkers, and George Hardy's Service Employees International Union Local 54, groundskeepers, utility workers, laborers and sweepers, throw up picket lines -- which will cripple a whole season because as neophyte unionists the self-martyred ballplayers will have to recognize the placard carriers? What if a Jimmy Hoffa moves in and takes over as once he tried in all major sports?

Bargaining with the owners over a new three-year contract is one thing. A strike's another. It opens up the whole multi-billion - dollar sport. Already the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) has jurisdiction. And the pros in all sports now can go shouting "Unfair labor practice" -- as the National Football League Players Assn. has done in the NLRB/Minneapolis office.

There, the players have charged that the owners' refusal to discuss the use of artificial turf (which the pros believe is more dangerous than soil) and the owners' refusal to show figures on health and accident coverage are unfair labor practices.

From here on in the players can call their own strikes and get all sports into a fight for what is now called "co-decision making." For a while now Miller has been talking about the players' right to help make up season schedules, number of games a week, travel time, etc. Now, by asking for a share of the higher income on the investment of club owner contributions to the investment fund (for pensions) placed with the First National City Bank, Miller is, in effect, asking for profit sharing. He tried this at one steel corporation, got great press notices and wasn't around when it all blew up.

The fans want to see batter up, they don't want their sports battered down by this kind of ersatz unionism. Sports is hardly a hardship profession. Let's keep it that way -- a profession.



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## Stroud-Coleman

MOREHOUSE - Wedding vows uniting Nedra Darlene Coleman of Sikeston and Ronald Lee Stroud of Morehouse were exchanged March 23 at 7 p. m. in the First Church of the Nazarene.

The pastor, the Rev. Coy O. Presson, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ellen Coleman of

Sikeston, and the late Jim Coleman. Stroud is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Lee Stroud of Morehouse.

Mrs. Kenneth Wasson, organist, accompanied Arnold B. Heuser, cousin of the bride as he sang "More".

Given in marriage by her brother, Ted Coleman of

Sikeston, she wore a floor length gown of white satin

trimmed in white lace. The matron of honor was Mrs. Pat Chapman and the best man was Garrell Gene Lee, both of Morehouse.

Attending the guest book was Myra Byrd. Serving at the reception were Mrs. David Mulcahy, aunt of the bride, and Brenda Stroud, sister of the groom.

The newlyweds will live at 1512 East Kathleen.

Ann Landers

## Secretary Gives Advice To Boss

Dear Ann Landers: You often have pointers in your column on how to be a better wife, husband, mother-in-law, neighbor, or friend. I have never seen any helpful hints on how to be a better boss. I've never been a boss, but I have been a secretary for 18 years and I'd like to make a few suggestions.

(1) It costs nothing to say "good morning" when you come in and "good evening" when you leave. Just acknowledging your secretary's existence will help her feel she is something more than a walking typewriter.

(2) When your secretary tells you she cannot read your handwriting, try not to make any cracks about her eyesight. Next time she might not ask what you meant. She'll just put it down the way it looks -- and you'll be sorry.

(3) You married your wife, your secretary didn't marry her. It's a wife's duty to shop for family gifts, write party invitations and thank-you notes.

(4) If your secretary makes a mistake, wait until you can inform her privately. Don't correct or castigate her in the presence of other executives or worse yet, in front of other secretaries. A good boss is also a gentleman. Sign me -- Chicago.

Dear Chi: Here's your letter. As a boss who employs 11 secretaries I took a good, hard look at your suggestions and I see one I might learn from. Thank you.

Dear Ann Landers: I am writing in response to Wife Number Two who objected to her husband's children removing their deceased mother's fine china, silver and paintings from their father's home.

I am a woman who has collected some exquisite objects of art through the years and when I am gone I want my daughter -- not a second wife -- to enjoy them. I can't imagine my husband marrying a woman who did not have some nice things of her own to fill the empty spaces and cover the holes in the wall where my lovely paintings once hung. I have instructed my

daughter to remove my treasures immediately after my death and take them to her home. It is my wish that she enjoy them and pass them on to her children. I hope other mothers will do the same. -- Looking Ahead In Racine

Dear Looking: "Instructions" won't hold up in court if there is a dispute. What is needed is a will. Call a lawyer and make it legal.

Dear Ann Landers: I notice a lot of people write to you about things that aren't really problems. They just need to know how to handle a clumsy situation. Maybe you can help me as you've helped others.

I work in a parking lot. Part of my duties include cashing. I always count the customer's change out loud when I hand it back -- and then I say a cheerful "Thank you!" Some of my

customers reply, "You're welcome." Others say, "Thank YOU ..." in a higher voice than mine, with the emphasis on YOU -- as if to say, "You are the one who should be thanked."

My parking lot is self-serve and self-lock. The customer does everything. All I do is take the money. I feel I should not be thanked for enjoying their business. I should thank THEM. If someone says, "Thank YOU" should I respond with, "No -- THANK YOU." -- Pittsburgh Ron

Dear P. R.: If a customer wants to thank you -- let him. Three thank-you's in the space of three seconds is one too many.

Do you feel awkward, self-conscious -- lonely? Welcome to the club. There's help for you in Ann Landers' booklet.

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## New Madrid Community Calendar

**SATURDAY**  
Grace General Baptist Church fish fry will be from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday at the New Madrid Community Building. Tennessee River catfish, French fries, cole slaw, hush puppies and pie will be served.

**SATURDAY**  
University of Tennessee, Martin, youth revival team will lead revival services at New Madrid Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

**SUNDAY**  
Marston Senior Citizens Club meets at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the United Methodist Church recreation room.

**MONDAY**  
New Madrid County Shirtsleeves meeting is at 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Monday at Howardville school.

**MONDAY**  
Rotary Club meets at 6:15 p.m. Monday at Rosie's Colonial Restaurant, highway 61.

**MONDAY**  
New Madrid Kiwanis Club is sponsoring a chili supper from 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday at the New Madrid community building.

**MONDAY**  
Lilbourn Civic Improvement Club meets at 7:30 p.m. Monday with Mrs. Betty Dambach. Mrs. George Reuter will speak and show film on her trip to the Holy Land.

**MONDAY**  
Masonic Lodge meets at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Masonic temple.

**TUESDAY**  
Chapter 293, Order of Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Masonic Temple.

**TUESDAY**  
Free chest X-rays for persons 18 or over will be taken from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Howardville post office parking lot and from noon to 2 p.m. at Risco on Main Street by the Christmas Seal mobile chest X-ray unit in cooperation with New Madrid County Health Department.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Jaycees meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Jaycee building, 710 Riley.

**WEDNESDAY**  
First United Methodist Men meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the educational building.

**THURSDAY**  
American Legion meets at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the veteran's building, Highway 61 North.

**THURSDAY**  
New Madrid Woman's Club will not meet Thursday. Members are requested to attend Ninth District spring convention at the Masonic Lodge in Cape Girardeau opening at 9 a.m.

**THURSDAY**  
New Madrid County Child Welfare Advisory Committee is sponsoring an open meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at O'Bannon School, 201 Pinnell, New Madrid, for persons interested in being foster parents for children in need of a home.

**FRIDAY**  
Boothel Squares weekly square dancing is at 7 p.m. Friday at New Madrid community building. Lessons available for beginners.

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Margaret Freeman

## Freeman- Vinson

BELL CITY: Mr. and Mrs. Bill Freeman announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Margaret, to Gary Lee Vinson of Sikeston.

Miss Freeman is a junior at Bell City high school. Vinson, son of Mrs. Ann Vinson of Sikeston, is a 1966 graduate of Sikeston high school. He is employed at Riley's Sunoco in Sikeston.

A June 29 wedding is planned.

## College News

Dash Roberts of Sikeston and Sara Anita Dunagan of Caruthersville are on the dean's list for the winter quarter at the University of Tennessee at Martin.

**MONDAY**

Welcome Wagon will meet at the Heritage House at 7:30 p.m.

**MONDAY**

Okeechobee district round table commissioners meet at 7:30 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church.

**MONDAY**

The VFW Auxiliary will meet at Heritage House for election of officers at 7 p.m.

**MONDAY**

The past matrons and past patrons club of Sikeston chapter 137, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet for a pot luck supper at the Masonic Temple at 6:30 p.m.

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Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	139	104	6	29
Pediatrics	30	23	0	7
Obstetrics	14	9	0	5
Intensive Care	7	7	0	0

PATIENTS SCHEDULED FOR ADMISSION TODAY:

Pemiscot Memorial Hospital Admitted:	Mary Pike, Charleston Mrs. Lana Taylor & b. bo
Nora Pullam, Hayti	Sikeston
Ethel Baxter, Hayti	Flora Ivy, Charleston
James Weaver, Caruthersville	Eva Lancaster, Vanduser
Carolyn Thornton, Caruthersville	Richard Toon, Charleston
George Ethridge, Caruthersville	David Strong, New Madrid
Ardeila Nichols, Portageville	Margaret Lumsden, Essex
Paul Cooper, Cooter	Diana Surface, Essex
Released:	Kenneth Sebourg, Lilbourn
James Harris, Hayti	Floyd Davis, East Prairie
Theodore McAnairy, Hayti	Charles Sherrod, Sikeston
Edward Bingle, Hayti	Dewey Hornberger, Cairo, Ill.
Carrie McCutchen, Caruthersville	Amy Bradley, New Madrid
William Jones, Caruthersville	Total Patients Discharged
Jimmy Bingle, Caruthersville	Total Patients Admitted
Mindy Mobly, Caruthersville	Births
Ethel Morgan, Caruthersville	EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT
Anita Lafferty, Caruthersville	Accident Emergencies
Cathy Ward, Caruthersville	Medical Emergencies
Jessie Holland, Portageville	Others
Frances Jenkins, Steele	Total Seen in Emergency Room
LaVada Avis, Steele	Meetings & Things
John Byrd, Wardell	MONDAY
Monarch Wilson, Wardell	The Kick Off dinner
95 patients, 7 babies	

Dexter Memorial Hospital

Admitted: Ida Kennedy, Dexter

Curtis Wilkinson, Dexter

Dorothy Bryant, Malden

Released: Debra Mayo, Bloomfield

George Baker, Essex

Myrtle Tucker, Dexter

Lubirdia Lott, Sikeston

Missouri Delta Hospital

Released: Marie Hargus, Charleston

James Scates, Mouthersville

Mrs. Evaline Rodgers & b. boy, Sikeston

Laura Pope, Collinsville

Joe R. Lett, Berland

Jeannie Aldridge, Sikeston

Timothy Wells, Sikeston

Sabrina Minner, New Madrid

Tammy Hayden, Charleston

Larry Colson, East Prairie

Lucy McKinney, Sikeston

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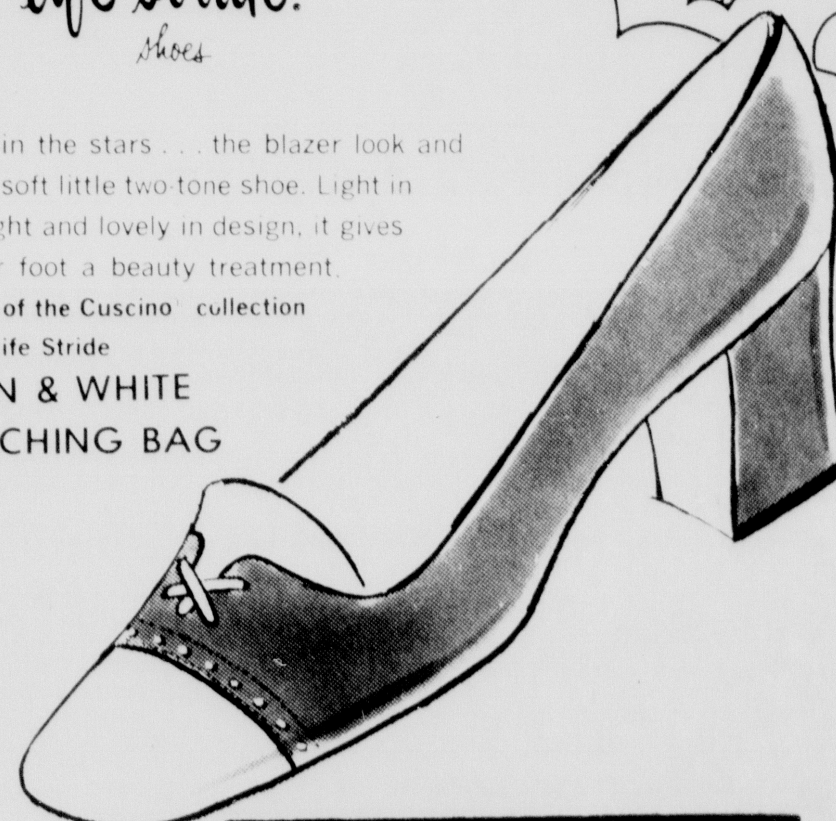
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# New Survey Methods Detect Crop Plans

COLUMBIA — Steady trends in agriculture are really a fantasy. Consider the sharp changes for planted acreage and production of feed grains in the past couple of years.

Feed grains — corn, oats, barley and sorghum — were planted on about 119 million acres in 1970. Last season, acreage was over 128 million, Donald W. Barrowman, statistician in charge of the Missouri Office of the Department of Agriculture's Statistical Reporting Service says, indications for 1972 plantings point toward 118 million acres. The acreage in Missouri is expected to be 3.8 million acres, compared with 4.5 million last year.

It's too soon to forecast this year's U.S. production but in 1971 more than 205 million tons of feed grains were harvested, a gain of 29 per cent from 1970 and nearly 18 per cent more than 1969.

Feed grains were not alone in the 1971 production trend. Many crops last year jumped to new record highs. This upsurge followed a 1970 season in which total crop production was at the lowest level in three years.

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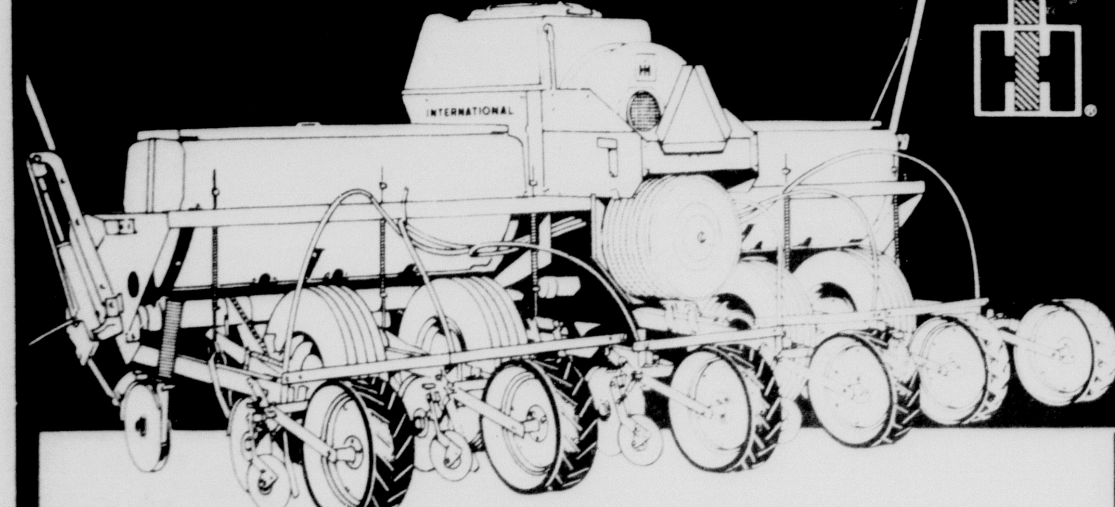
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MALCOLM JOHNSTON of East Prairie prepares for one of the crops the Bootheel is known for raising. Watermelons will be planted in furrows after fertilizer is covered by using a four row planter with the two inside hoppers empty. The crop is harvested in July and August. The watermelons are being raised four miles south of Sikeston by L. F. LaPlant of East Prairie.

Statisticians expand the data collected in the interviews to totals for a State, region, and the Nation.

It's not really this simple but the principle for expanding the data works this way. Assume that the land in sample segments in a State is one-half of one percent (1/200th) of all land in the State. After interviewing farmers with land in these segments, enumerators find 20,000 acres of corn there. Statisticians multiply the 20,000 acres by 200, to arrive at an estimated 4,000,000 acres of corn in the State.

It works the same for livestock. Suppose the number of cattle in the segments was found to be 5,000; this times 200 would provide an estimate of 1,000,000 head in the State. Enumeration of large producers and other statistical refinement, makes expanding the data more complicated than the examples imply, but the principle is the same.

"The new procedures have two major advantages. First, the sample is drawn scientifically to represent a true cross-section of all farms. Second, data collected by personal interview assure virtually 100 percent response," Barrowman explained.

In addition to being used for enumerative survey work, the probability sampling technique is the basis for the SRS objective yield survey of crops. Fact collectors who work in the enumerative surveys also will take measurements of crops in some of the fields they visit. They recheck the same plots monthly during the growing season, harvest the plots when the crop is mature, and make a postharvest visit to determine harvesting loss.

This work involves close measurements of such items as the number of plants in a given row, blooms per plant, and size and weight of fruit.

The sample plots subjected to such scrutiny are quite small; For corn, two-row sections 15 feet long; for wheat, three drill rows 26 inches long; for soybeans, two-row sections three feet long; for cotton, a double-row section 10 feet long. The information leads to yield forecasts.

The new methods of sampling and data collection are more costly than the traditional mail survey.

## Farmers Paid \$90,198,697 For Losses

COLUMBIA — U.S. farmers and landowners in 48 states were paid \$90,198,697 to reimburse them for hail and fire losses to growing crops last year by the crop hail insurance industry. The all-time record payout by Farmers Mutuals and stock companies followed devastating hailstorms in 1971 the Crop Insurance Research Bureau said.

Hail destroys an estimated \$300 million to \$350 million of growing crops in the U. S. annually with wheat, soybeans, corn, cotton and grain sorghum the principal crops destroyed.

Missouri was one of the top loss states with losses occurring on 114 days of the growing season and with hail damage to crops in all of the counties with significant crop acreages.

A hard-hitting July 15 hailstorm in Southeast Missouri covered a 100-mile strip up to eight miles wide destroying an estimated \$20 million of growing crops. Governor Hearnes called it a disaster area and asked for federal aid. University of Missouri agronomists said that crops on 110,000 acres were 90 per cent destroyed and on 140,000 acres 50 per cent to 90 per cent damaged. Insurance adjusters pay on the percentage of estimated loss per acre using stem and leaf damage charts based on years of research at state agricultural colleges.

Crop hail insurance underwriters in 1971 had a combined liability of \$3,730,962,613 in all states. The leading states in value of crops insured against hail are Iowa, Illinois, Nebraska, North Dakota, Minnesota, North Carolina, South Dakota, Texas, Missouri, Kentucky, and Montana.

## Coy Franklin Joins Board

CHARLESTON — Mayor Sam Story announced the appointment of Coy W. Franklin to the Charleston Urban Renewal Board.

Franklin, assistant principal at Charleston High School, succeeds O. T. Dalton Jr., like women, rabies control whose term expired March 31, deputy Albert Clements said. He joins George Simmons, Wednesday. "Every time a Willie Hart, Layton Pickard woman came near him, he and James Moran on the went into a raging fit," but board, and will serve a four-year term.



## Philip Kelley Kelley Will Serve Bootheel Communities

PORTAGEVILLE — The University of Missouri Extension Division has announced appointment of Philip Kelley to area community development specialist.

Kelley has been assigned to the six county Bootheel. He assumed the job following a six weeks orientation program.

Kelley grew up in Stoddard County and graduated from Bernie High School. He attended the University of Missouri in Columbia for bachelor of science and masters degree programs.

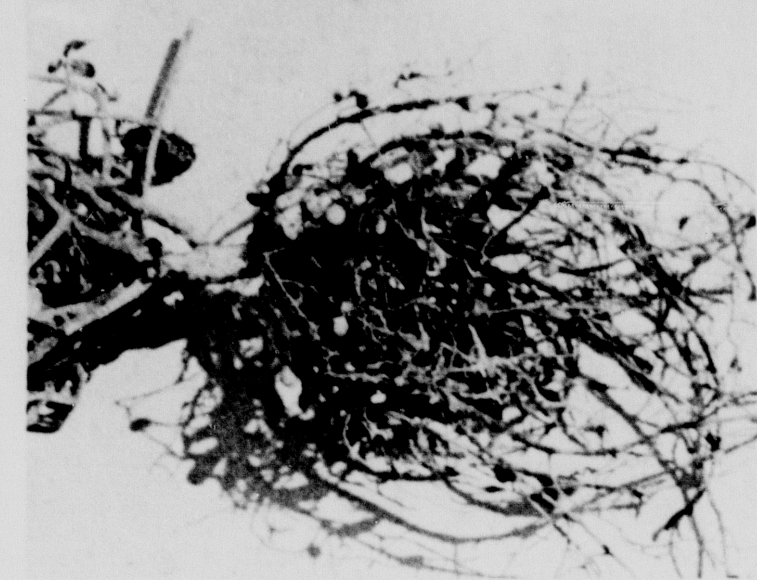
After receiving his bachelor's degree in agriculture economics, he worked as the professional farm manager in North Central Missouri. He has worked in an administrative post for the University of Missouri in Columbia.

The Kelleys have moved to Portageville where they live with their two children.

## Monkey Goes Ape At Sight Of Women

RIVERVIEW, Fla. (AP) — A misogynist monkey that "went ape" at the sight of women was shot to death by rabies control officers after it bit two women.

"The darn thing just didn't succeed O. T. Dalton Jr., like women, rabies control whose term expired March 31, deputy Albert Clements said. He joins George Simmons, Wednesday. "Every time a Willie Hart, Layton Pickard woman came near him, he and James Moran on the went into a raging fit," but board, and will serve a four-year term.



VETCH NODULES, the small white balls, provide nature's best form of nitrogen for the cotton crop, according to farm manager Herbert Schuenerberg. Farmers plowed or disked cover crops of vetch and wheat getting the ground ready for cotton planting this month. The farm at the south edge of Sikeston is owned by Robert Matthews.

## Nothdurft Star Farmer In District

DELTA — Notification has been received from Carl M. Humphrey, director of Agricultural Education, state department of education, Jefferson City that Kim Nothdurft a junior student at Delta High School, has been selected as District Star Farmer.

He has been enrolled in agriculture courses and active in Future Farmers of America three years.

His farming program began with one registered gilt and has broadened to include registered Angus Cattle and a variety of field crops.

This past year he engaged in contract hay hauling for area farmers. For three years he has worked on neighboring farms and is working part-time at a Farm Service Center in addition to his own farming activities.

Nothdurft has served as reporter and assistant secretary of his FFA Chapter and as serving as chairman of committees. He has served sub-district 19 as its secretary.

He was a member of the 1970 first place district animal husbandry judging team. He competed at Columbia and at the Mid-South Fair in Memphis.

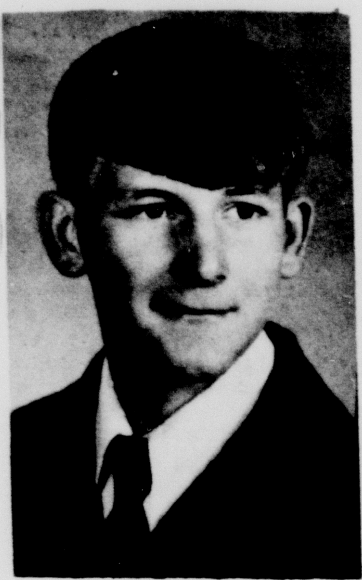
He has participated in poultry judging at district and state levels. Received the placement in agriculture production award served as an usher at the 1971 state FFA convention. Attended National FFA Convention, Kansas City.

The Kelleys have moved to Portageville where they live with their two children.

He attended FFA Leadership Camp in July 1971 and has visited area FFA Chapters representing the sub-district.

His participation in other activities of the school and community are many. He has served as a member of the Student Council, FBLA, High School Band and Science Club. Winner of the Elks Youth of America Contest, and has been chosen to attend Boys State.

He has participated in 4-H Work eight years. With



Kim Nothdurft

major emphasis in agriculture projects and leadership. He was 1971 state winner in agriculture and represented Missouri at the National 4-H Congress in December of 1971. He has received the 4-H key award, public speaking award, SEMO District Fair herdsman award, attended the CO-OP Youth Camp, Liberty, National Citizenship Short Course, Washington, D.C. as well as winning the Danforth Award for Cape Girardeau County in 1971.

He is a member of the Delta Baptist Church and participates in the youth department and youth choir activities.

He will attend the State FFA Convention in Columbia April 20-22, and as Star District Farmer is being considered for Star State Farmer. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don D. Nothdurft.

Mrs. Leonard J. Peerman served as his advisor for two years. His present advisor is George Felker.

## Boyer Installs Drainage Pipe

CARUTHERSVILLE — Installation of drainage with arched pipe is under construction by Ralph Boyer Construction Company, Sikeston, from West 13th Street to West 15th Street in Caruthersville.

The corrugated pipe with a half inch covering will extend from the corner of Schultz and W. 13th Street to W. 15th Street, around on W. 15th Street to Laurent Street, Gerald Jones, director of the Caruthersville Housing Authority, said Wednesday.

The drainage construction is the first phase of an overall plan to erect 80 new public housing units for low-income families at the site. Estimated total cost of the project is \$1,500,000.

## Some Tomatoes To Be Kept Off Market

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government has reaffirmed its system of keeping portions of the tomato crop out of the marketplace each winter, despite consumer organizations' protests that the plan drives up prices and favors inferior tomatoes.

The Department of Agriculture, which had thrown out the objections earlier only to be ordered by the courts to reconsider, ruled Wednesday that the program is essential to insure that farmers get fair prices.

The latest Agriculture ruling had been fought by Consumers Union of Mount Vernon, N.Y., and the Mexican Vegetable Distributors Association, whose crop is the most severely restricted by the program.

The ruling adopted the arguments of the Florida Fruit and Vegetable Association, in whose Orlando headquarters the hearings were held last September.

For most of the year, when domestic tomatoes are being grown in California, Florida and the Southwest, there are no restrictions on the size of tomatoes shipped to market.

But during the winter season, when the only domestic tomatoes are coming from Florida, the Florida Tomato Committee selected from local growers bars smaller tomatoes from the market to keep supply down and prices up. The committee's restrictions are adopted nationwide by the Agriculture Department.

One set of restrictions applies to vine-ripe tomatoes, which Florida produces little of in winter, and which Mexican growers are then able to supply in quantity.

## 591 Members In County Farm Bureau

The Scott County Farm Bureau Board met Monday night with eight members present, and Shelton Rhodes, New Madrid, regional manager, speaking on Farm Bureau Insurance.

J. L. Buck, membership chairman, reported that Scott County has 591 members. The county needs 15 more to make quota.

Mrs. George Eftink, women's activities chairman, reported that she had placed a board member chart in the Farm Bureau Office showing attendance each month.

George Eftink, marketing chairman, gave a report. The next meeting will be held May 1.

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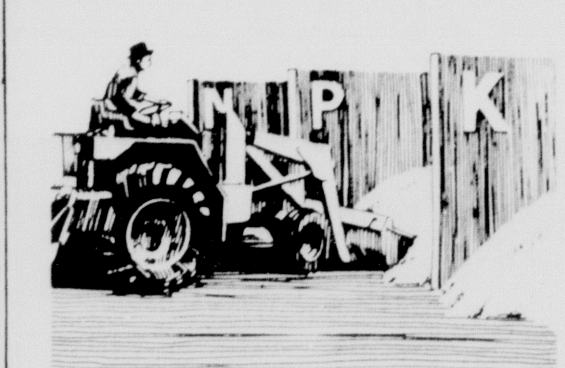
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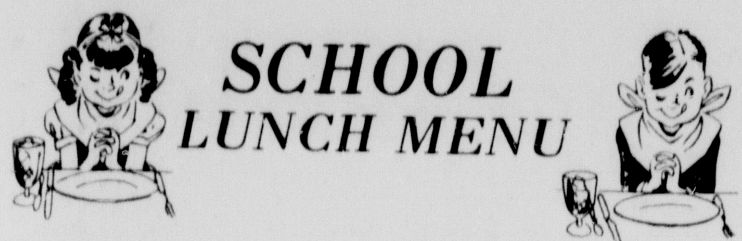
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## SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

**Bell City Monday**  
Chicken Salad Sandwich  
Cole Slaw  
Whole Kernel Corn  
Sweet Pickles  
Cherry Pie

**Tuesday**  
Pork Pattie  
Tomatoes and Macaroni  
Great Northern Beans  
Seasoned with ham  
Onion Slices  
Applesauce  
Corn bread/butter  
Milk

**Wednesday**  
Homemade Beef Stew  
Peanut Butter Sandwich  
Carrot and Celery Sticks  
Apple Pie  
Crackers  
Milk

**Thursday**  
Hamburger on Bun  
Baked Potato /butter  
Mustard/Catsup  
Pickle/Onion Slices  
Peaches  
Milk

**Friday**  
Fish Fillets  
Baked Beans  
Chilled Tomatoes  
Pineapple Upside Down Cake  
Bread/Butter  
Milk

**Matthews Reorganized Monday**  
1/2 pint milk  
Beans and ham  
Mixed Greens  
Steamed potatoes with onion  
Peach Cobbler  
Bread  
Butter

**Tuesday**  
1/2 pint milk  
Pizza Burger  
French Fries  
Cole Slaw  
Iced applesauce raisin cake  
Bread  
Butter

**Wednesday**  
1/2 pint milk  
Tacos  
Mexican beans  
Fruited Jello  
Hot Rolls  
Butter

**Thursday**  
1/2 pint milk  
Chicken and dressing  
Creamed potatoes  
Green Beans  
Plums  
Hot Rolls  
Butter

**Friday**  
1/2 pint milk  
Pork pattie with gravy  
Corn on the cob  
Tossed Salad  
Cherry Cobbler  
Bread  
Butter

**Scott County R-V Monday**  
Hamburger on Bun  
Onion and pickles  
Pork and Beans  
Roll Wheat cake  
1/2 pint milk

**Tuesday**  
Italian spaghetti  
Sweet potatoes  
Slaw  
Bread - butter  
Fruit  
1/2 pint milk

**Wednesday**  
Pork and gravy  
Whipped potatoes  
Buttered Corn  
Hot rolls  
Butter  
Jelly  
1/2 pint milk

**Thursday**  
Chicken and dressing  
Slaw  
Green Beans  
Peanut butter crunch  
Bread - butter  
1/2 pint milk

**FRIDAY**  
Fish on bun  
Tartar sauce or catsup  
Macaroni and cheese  
Chilled Tomatoes  
Pudding  
1/2 pint milk

**Sikeston Public School Monday**  
1/2 pint milk  
Ham Slice on Bun  
Baked Beans  
Macaroni Salad  
Pink Applesauce  
Milk

**Tuesday**  
1/2 pint milk  
Hamburger on Bun  
French Fries  
Cole Slaw  
Banana Pudding  
Milk

**Wednesday**  
1/2 pint Milk  
Chicken Salad on lettuce leaf  
Green Peas  
Peaches  
Hot Rolls and Butter  
Milk

**Thursday**  
1/2 pint milk  
Bar-B-Q on Bun  
Potato Chips  
Mixed Greens  
Fresh Orange  
Milk

**Friday**  
1/2 pint Milk  
Meat Loaf  
Mashed Potatoes  
Tossed Salad  
Pineapple Slice  
Bread

**East Prairie Monday**  
one-half pint milk  
Hot Dog on Bun  
Sweet Potato Casserole  
Potato Chips  
Pickles  
Chocolate Cake  
Butter

**Tuesday**  
one-half pint milk  
Beef Stew w/Vegetables  
Crackers  
Cole Slaw  
Fruit Cobbler  
Peanut Butter  
Butter

**Wednesday**  
one-half pint milk  
Southern Fried Chicken  
Whipped Potatoes  
Buttered Peas  
Tossed Salad w/ thousand I. Dr.  
Rolled Wheat Rolls  
Chilled Fruit  
Butter

**Thursday**  
one-half pint milk  
Hamburger on Bun  
Pickle/Onion Slices  
Buttered Corn  
Cole Slaw w/ Red Peppers  
Fruit Cobbler w/ Ice cream  
Butter

**Friday**  
one-half pint milk  
Pork Pattie  
Whipped Potatoes  
Lima Beans  
Seasoned Sauerkraut  
Chilled Peaches  
Hot Rolls  
Butter

**Monday**  
Hamburger on Bun  
Onion and pickles  
Pork and Beans  
Roll Wheat cake  
1/2 pint milk

**Tuesday**  
Italian spaghetti  
Sweet potatoes  
Slaw  
Bread - butter  
Fruit  
1/2 pint milk

**Wednesday**  
Pork and gravy  
Whipped potatoes  
Buttered Corn  
Hot rolls  
Butter  
Jelly  
1/2 pint milk

**Thursday**  
Chicken and dressing  
Slaw  
Green Beans  
Peanut butter crunch  
Bread - butter  
1/2 pint milk



FLOYD POBST, route four, is one of the first to get his corn planted during a few days of good weather. The corn is put down with a 10-20-20 mix fertilizer and will be irrigated. Anhydrous ammonia will be used to increase yield. Pobst claims that irrigation alone will give a 25 percent increased yield in a normal growing season and as much as 100 percent increase in a dry year. The Pobst Brothers farms are one mile southeast of Vanduser.

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And some are using God's holy name in vain

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And there are many that have an education and some don't know their ABC

And there's some that have trouble with their neighbors  
And there's some that is as peaceful as a lamb  
And there is some that are intelligent

And there's some that is ignorant as a pig  
And there is some that are flirting with their neighbors wives and that is a dangerous thing to do

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## Dump At Portageville Reactivated

PORTAGEVILLE — The Pemiscot County Court has given conditional permission to the City of Portageville to use the dump site that was ordered closed three weeks ago by Prosecuting Attorney Art Stephenson. Portageville is in New Madrid county.

John Alford, county clerk, said the county court decided Monday to allow Portageville to use the dump for six months only or until the landfill project is in operation, whichever comes first. He said he expects a letter from the State Health Department and the Environmental Protection Agency within a week to 10 days giving their approval.

Alford said one of the conditions to the temporary dumping was no burning of trash. This was made to erase the potential of air pollution. The prosecuting attorney said the landfill project should be ready for operation by the first of July.

Before being notified of the county court's decision, Portageville Mayor Roy Moore said "we feel locked up here" because of the dump closure. He said a pickup man has been taking trash to the New Madrid dump while the dump has been closed.



MILAS WARE disconnects the propane filler hose from a tank on a tractor. Herbert Schuereberg, farm manager for Robert Matthews, says the propane is more economical in long range farm planning because the gas is clean and saves on repairs." Pulling power is sacrificed but can be overcome by use of a larger tractor. The farm is at the southern city limits of Sikeston owned by Robert Matthews.

## Right Cotton Seed Important

BLOOMFIELD — Cotton important to this area including productivity, earliness, wilt resistance, and fiber quality. This variety is best adapted to sandy loam, loam, and silt loam soils. It has not performed as well on heavy clay soils as on loam soils. Indications are that this variety may mature later than usual on heavy clay soils.

Indications are that cotton planting seed of good quality are scarce this year, so farmers are urged to make arrangements for seed to plant this year's crop as soon as possible.

## New Wing For Poe Clinic

DEXTER — Construction work has begun to expand the Poe Clinic facilities on South Walnut Street. The new wing will house the business offices, a new reception area and office.

Additional remodeling is planned for a part of the building creating additional treatment rooms, it was learned this week.

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## Alfalfa Weevils Infest Fields

PORTAGEVILLE — Alfalfa weevil larvae already have been detected in fields in Southeast Missouri. As of March 24, larval counts ranged from three per stem with 90% of the stems infested.

Continued warm weather will accelerate egg hatch and larval growth. Severe damage to early growth may be expected in some fields. Controls may be warranted the first week of April. Cool weather may slow hatching and feeding; however, warm weather will speed it up, Area Agronomy Specialist John Garrett says.

Control measures are justified when 35% of terminals (growing tips or buds) show feeding injury along with some leaf skeletonizing on a few of the fully expanded leaflets in the top 1/3 of the plants. Insecticides recommended for ground equipment include 2 quarts of a diazinon - methoxychlor mixture, (Alfa-tox, a commercially prepared emulsifiable concentrate containing 10% diazinon and 20% methoxychlor), or 1 pound Imidan (2 pounds 50% Imidan wettable powder), or 3 pints of a malathion - methoxychlor mixture (a commercially prepared emulsifiable concentrate containing 22% malathion and 22% methoxychlor) per acre.

Malathion at the rate of 1.25 pounds (1 quart 57% malathion emulsifiable concentrate) can be used when the larvae are small and the temperature is above 60 F most of the time.

There is a 7 day interval between application and harvest with diazinon-methoxychlor mixture, malathion - methoxychlor mixture and Imidan. There is no preharvest interval with this dosage of malathion.

Insecticides recommended for use by commercial applicators include 0.5 pound azinphosmethyl (2-2/3 pints 17% Guthion alfalfa insecticide or 1 quart 22% Guthion spray concentrate), or 0.5 pound methyl parathion (1 quart 25%, or 1 pint 44% methyl parathion emulsifiable concentrate), or 0.5 pound Supracide (2 pints of 2E Supracide emulsifiable concentrate) per acre. There is a 16 day waiting period between application and harvest with azinphosmethyl and 15 days with methyl parathion. DO NOT use Supracide within 10 days of harvest and do not make more than one forage and one stubble application per cutting.

Farmers with alfalfa should be scouting their fields for the weevil. If you need help, contact the University Extension Center, Benton, 543-3517.

## Soybean Market Opens In Germany

CARUTHERSVILLE — Market development efforts in Germany opened markets for an additional 2,300,000 bushels of soybeans, according to Charles G. Ross, Jr., president of the Missouri Soybean Association. Missouri is one of the 19 state associations affiliated with American Soybean Association in its efforts to increase market demand and improve profits for soybean farmers.

"Our staff personnel in Germany reports that the final barrier that kept soybean meal out of feed mixes has been eliminated," he said. The German government requirement that all feed mixes contain fish meal is wiped off the books. Through excellent staff work, the fish meal requirements were reduced from 8 percent to 3 percent, then reduced to zero on all but two rations.

"Requirements on those two rations were recently eliminated, allowing feed

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mixers and farmers to choose that their protein ingredient," recounted the ballots and the Ross said. result was a favorable count by

Of equal significance, one vote for Mayor Biggs, according to Ross, was the Crow told the prosecuting signing of a contract with the attorney. German Margarine Institute. First reports were that which represents all margarine Biggs had lost by one vote. makers. "Although they are Stephenson said he didn't major users of soy oil, most of know if Hawkins is going to their publicity has centered file for an election contest, is around sun, palm, and coconut continuing the investigation.

oil, so our objective is to increase demand through more awareness among doctors, nutritionists, consumers, and manufacturers of the virtues of soy oil," Ross said.

A third major step in Germany was the 10-day Green Week Fair in West Berlin which attracted 180,000 people. "The U.S. has exhibited for 20 years, but this year the theme was 'Soy-Beef City, U. S. A.' The exhibit told the importance of soybean meal in providing quality beef," he said.

"Agricultural experts were on hand to answer questions about the profitability of feed grain-soy meal mixes, and all reports indicate considerable interest in the efficiency of soybean meal."

## Holland Vote Questioned

HOLLAND — Pemiscot County Prosecuting Attorney Art Stephenson has been asked to investigate an alleged irregularity in the certification of the results of the mayor's election at Holland.

Stephenson said that Wendell Crow, an attorney representing Earl Hawkins, called him asking for an investigation.

According to Crow, Hawkins had one more vote than Mayor William Biggs after the ballots were counted Tuesday night. Hawkins claims

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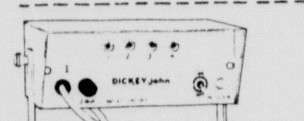
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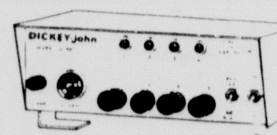
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## Prep Sports Schedule

### BASEBALL

April 10

Hayti at Sikeston April 11  
Bernie at Advance  
Clarkton at Lilbourn  
Matthews at East Prairie  
Sikeston at Charleston  
Chaffee at Kelly  
Senath-Hornersville at North Pemiscot  
Illmo-Scott City at Delta  
Perryville at Notre Dame  
Jackson at Cape Central

April 12

Cape Central at Carbondale, Ill.  
Twin Rivers at Bernie

April 13

Neelyville at Bernie  
Kelly at Illmo-Scott City  
East Prairie at Delta  
Lilbourn at Senath-Hornersville  
Advance at Bloomfield  
Paducah at Cape Central

April 14

Puxico at Bernie  
Sikeston at Notre Dame  
Delta C-7 at Clarkton

### TRACK

April 13

Kennett Invitational (Freshmen)

April 14

Poplar Bluff Invitational

### TENNIS

April 10

Sikeston at Chaffee

April 11

Kennett at Sikeston

April 12

Caruthersville at Sikeston

### GOLF

April 12

Caruthersville at Sikeston

April 13

Kennett at Sikeston

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — Jack Nicklaus, halfway home to a fourth Masters golf title and the first leg of a Grand Slam, admits that three years ago he became so complacent and disinterested that he was on the verge of giving up the game.

The untimely death of his father and a 1970 victory in the British Open, he said, snapped him back to life.

"My father lived to see me play," the 32-year-old superstar from Columbus, Ohio, said solemnly Friday

after shooting a second-round 71 for 139 that gave him a one-stroke lead over gray-haired Paul Harney after 36 holes over the Augusta National course.

"In my early years on the tour, I was successful. Maybe things came too easy. In 1968 and 1969, I half lost interest. I couldn't get keyed up."

"I was winning money but I wasn't enjoying it. I wasn't working on my game. I was playing sloppy. I had no desire at all to progress."

"Then my father died in February 1970. I asked myself, 'What are we down here for? What is life all about?' I began working harder. Then I won the British Open at St. Andrews. Everything suddenly changed."

"Now I enjoy the game more than I ever did. I have more desire than ever to win."

This newfound flaming desire plus a weight-reducing program that has turned the blond bomber into a trim,

handsome, 185-pound athlete has projected Nicklaus to the undisputed pinnacle of golf, the all-time leading money collector, winner of 11 major championships and recognized by many as the greatest player in history.

Nicklaus spoke feelingly of his inconsistent attitudes after holding firm to his lead in the Masters on a gray,

gusty day that witnessed a mild collapse on the part of Arnold Palmer and Sam Snead and the near exit of

voluble Lee Trevino, 1971 Player of the Year.

The 59-year-old Snead, one stroke back of Nicklaus after the first round, blew a 1 1/2-foot putt on the ninth hole, proceeded to bogey three holes in succession and take a fat 75 for 144.

Palmer, 42, darling of Masters galleries and a four-time winner who was only two strokes back at 70, lost his cool after an unfavorable ruling on the ninth hole, took a triple bogey six on the 155-yard 12th and also finished at 75

for 145.

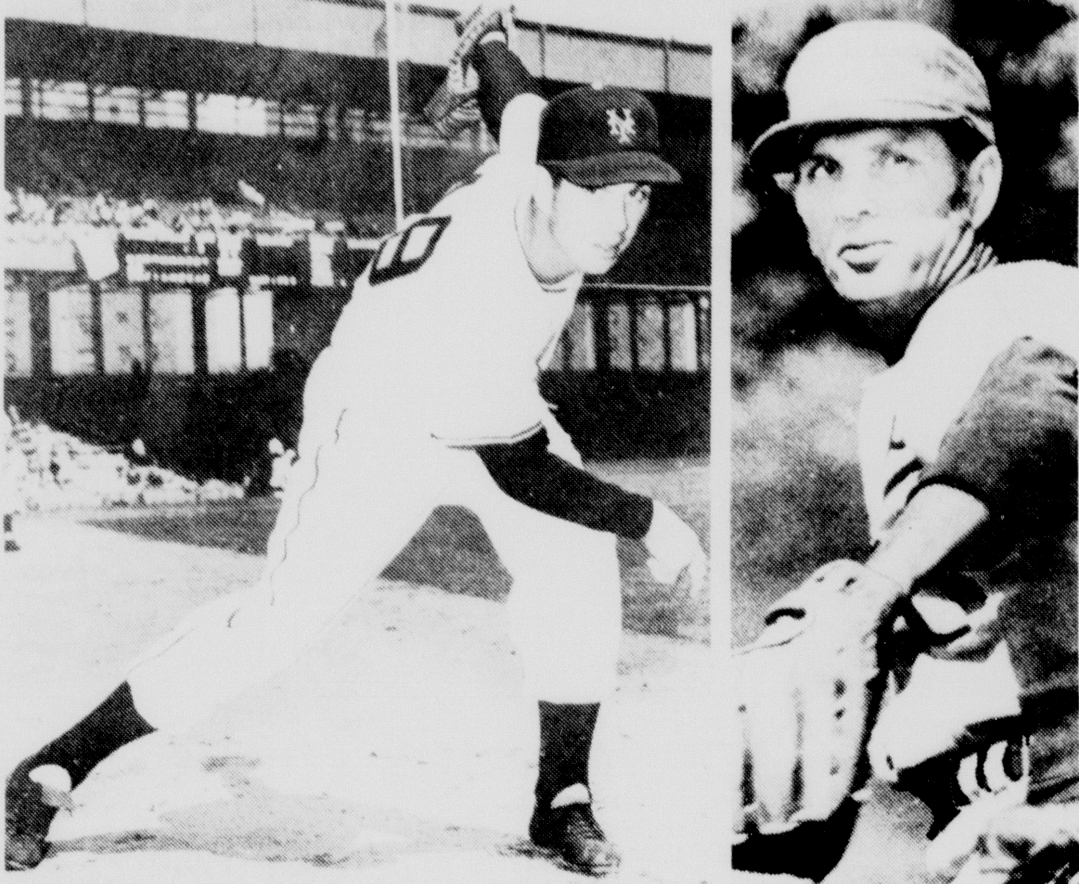
Instead of contenders, they are now just part of the pack as the scissored field of 47 enters the nationally televised third round today over the 6,980-yard, par-72 course.

Trevino, winner of the U.S. Canadian and British Opens in the space of four weeks last year, is hanging by his fingernails at 151—the cutoff point—after adding a 76 to a previous 75.

Back of Nicklaus and Harney, the 42-year-old club pro from Sutton, Mass., came

Bert Yancey, with 72-69-141; Jim Jamieson, a young pro from Moline, Ill., who has never won a tournament, 72-70-142; and defending champion Charles Coody, 73-70, and long-hitting Bobby Nichols, 72-71, tied at 143.

Snead is in the 144 bracket with Argentina's Roberto de Vicenzo, Jerry Heard, Lany Wadkins and Steve Melnyk. Palmer is at 145 with Tom Weiskopf and Bob Mitchell. Bill Caper is 75-71-146, Gary Player 73-75-148.



HOYT WILHELM began his professional baseball career 30 years ago with Mooresville of the North Carolina State League (he won 10, lost 3 with 4.25 earned run average in 23 games), made the majors with the New York Giants in 1952, above, and is still at it this spring as a 49-year-old Los Angeles Dodger relief pitcher, right.

## 1972 Golf Tournament Schedule

### APRIL

15-16 Big Lake C.C. 2-Man Scramble, Manila, Ark. (36)

29-30 St. Andrews G.C. Open, St. Charles, Mo. (36)

29-30 Caruthersville, Mo. C. C. 2-Man Scramble (36)

29-30 Westwood Hills C.C. 4-Man Inv., Poplar Bluff, Mo. (36)

### MAY

6-7 Perryville, Mo. C.C. 4-Ball Inv. (36)

6-7 Kennett, Mo. C. C. Member-Guest (36)

6-7 Jonesboro, Ark. C.C. Mixed Pairs Inv. (36)

7 Publinx Open, Forest Park G.C., St. Louis, Mo. (18)

12-14 Sugar Creek C.C. Spring Spring 4-Ball, Piggott, Ark. (36)

12-14 St. Genevieve, Mo. G.C. Open (36)

13-14 Fredericktown, Mo. C.C. Azalea 4-Ball Inv. (36)

13-14 New Madrid, Mo. C.C. 4-Ball Inv. (36)

13-14 Big Lake C.C. Springs 4-Ball, Manila Ark. (36)

13-14 Westwood Hills C.C. Mixed Pairs, Poplar Bluff, Mo. (36)

20-21 Kimbrel C.C. 4-Ball Inv., Jackson, Mo. (36)

20-21 Rolling Hills C.C., Paducah, Ky. Mixed Pairs (36)

20-21 Paragould, Ark. C.C. 4-Ball Inv. (36)

20-21 Current River C. C. 4-Ball Inv. Doniphan, Mo. (36)

20-21 Suburbia G. & C. C. 4-Ball Inv., De Soto Mo. (36)

25-28 Jonesboro, Ark. C.C. Pro-Am 4-Ball (36 & 36)

26-28 Crab Orchard C. C. Pro-Am., Cartersville, Ill. (18 & 36)

27-28 Westwood Hills C. C. Ozark Am., Poplar Bluff, Mo. (36)

### JUNE

3 Phil Cotton Invitational, Columbia, Mo. C. C. (18)

3 Lions Club Inv., Cherokee Village, Ark. G.C. (18)

3-4 Kennett, Mo. C.C. Mixed Pairs Inv. (36)

3-4 Sikeston, Mo. C.C. 4-Ball Inv. (36)

3-4 Fox Hills G.C. 4-Ball Inv., Paragould, Ark. (36)

3-4 Joachim G.C. 4-Ball Inv., Herculaneum, Mo. (36)

3-4 Bunny Bread Inv., Union Co. C.C., Anna, Ill. (36)

To be continued

## Owners Stand Pat On Strike

NEW YORK (AP) —

Where does the baseball strike go from here?

"It's up to the owners to make a counter-proposal so we can start bargaining," said Marvin Miller, executive director of the striking Major League Baseball Players Association.

"I'm going home," said John Gaherin, representing the club owners.

The s latest exchange occurred Friday night when the 24 owners unanimously rejected an offer by the players to start the season while pension negotiations resumed for up to three weeks, with an impartial arbitrator to be called in if no settlement is reached.

At the same time, the players' group announced plans to file unfair labor practice charges against the owners with the National Labor Relations Board. Dick Moss, counsel for the players' association, charged that at least three players have lost their jobs because of their activities with the group.

He declined to name them, but The Associated Press learned that one was pitcher Joe Horlen, recently given his unconditional release by the Chicago White Sox.

Gaherin called the proposal to submit the dispute to arbitration "particularly offensive" to the owners. He then suggested that the players open the season while "the parties, with the assistance of such experts as may be necessary, continue to

negotiate in good faith."

He said "such experts" could be actuaries, adding, "We don't consider arbitrators to be experts." Answered Miller, "We offered that if they like, the arbitrator could be an actuary."

"Since they haven't bargained in good faith yet, there's no reason to believe they would do so now," Miller said in rejecting that offer.

Gaherin also suggested that the players be severely polled again on a strike. He said he "has received communication from almost every major league club indicating that some, and probably the majority, of the players want to return to the field."

## KHS Takes SHS Golfers

KENNETT — The Sikeston Bulldogs golf team braved 42-degree weather and 25 mile-an-hour winds to get in their match against the Indians Friday afternoon only to lose 173-185.

Tom Dawson once again was the low shooter for the game with a 41. Dennis Meyer shot 47, Mark Shaw 48, and Jeff Porter had a 49.

Kennett's low shooters were Downing and Matthews with 42s and Don Wilkinson had 44 and Dave Wilkinson shot a 45.

Sikeston is now 1-1 for the year and Kennett is 3-0.

## Sports Corner



### Ron Jaynes

The St. Louis Cardinals season opening baseball game was cancelled Friday night due to the player strike, which seems headed for a long season.

It's a shame that the fans, merchants and owners have to put up with the way the players and their leader, Marvin Miller, are doing. Crying for more money when they are already recipients of the best pension plan and are paid so well for six months work a year.

I've been lucky enough to get the complete text that August A. Busch, Jr., president St. Louis Cardinals, gave to the players at a meeting at St. Petersburg, Fla., March 24.

Some of your readers might be on the border line in this disagreement and some are probably with the players but after you read the following statement by Busch you might take a different view.

Busch statement:

"Gentlemen, there has

been a lot of talk and comment about baseball's health, welfare, and pension plan.

"We believe you are entitled to hear from us — face to face — just how we see the present situation. That is why I have asked for a meeting with all of you this morning."

"Wednesday, after hearing a report from our baseball representatives, the presidents of all the major league clubs unanimously agreed on the following statement: quote

"... The clubs offered to pay — in either a one year or four year agreement — the increased cost of the excellent life insurance, hospital, and dental care coverage."

"We will continue the current contributions to the pension plan."

"These additional costs will amount to an increase of approximately \$400,000 a year of the clubs' contribution of \$5,450,000 per year."

"That is what we offer — to add \$400,000 a year to what is already the best welfare and pension plan to be found anywhere."

"That goes for any plan in business, in the professions or in sports."

"Most of you already know about the plan, but I would like to review some of the important features for a few minutes."

"The plan provides for outstanding dental and medical coverage for you and your family."

"It provides for disability pay."

"It provides for a life insurance policy on each of you for \$50,000."

"It provides generous widows' benefits."

"The pension plan — which I mention — is without equal."

"We have had several examples recently of how the plan works:

"When one member of the Cardinal organization accidentally lost his life, his family received insurance benefits of \$100,000."

"Another Cardinal player — in recent years — became ill during the season, and the plan provided income for himself and his family."

"Now, about the pension plan itself:

"We know of no other plan which allows an employee — with only four years of service — to start to collect pension payments at as early an age as 45 ... if he chooses to do so."

"If a player waits to collect his pension when most people do — at age 65 — he will get \$7,400 a year."

"And that's with only four years as a player!"

"If a player has ten years of service, he can collect \$18,500 a year for life after age 65."

"He can start drawing a pro-rated amount at age 45 if he desires."

"With twenty years service, a player can draw \$23,000 at age 65 ... and so it goes through the entire range of service in baseball."

"These pension payments are in addition to what other pension plans a player may get into when he goes into private industry."

"They are also in addition

to any social security programs."

"That is our proposal for increasing the payments into the health, welfare, and benefit program ... namely, to pay an additional cost of \$400,000 a year to meet the additional expenses of that program."

"It is our position that this is a very fair and equitable program."

"Mr. Miller does not think so, and he has proposed a strike."

"Such threats as those we have heard of — such as refusal to play in the All Star Game or any other punitive action — can only serve to alienate the fans."

"If we destroy the enthusiasm for baseball shared by millions of fans — both young and old — we will have lost everything!"

"I don't need to remind anyone that all of us rely on the support of these fans for the future of baseball."

"By alienating them, we believe that the players — present and future — are certain to be the biggest losers."

"Without the enthusiastic support of the people who pay to see you play, I suggest to you there won't be any pension plan."

"There won't be any health and welfare plan!"

"And, there won't be any baseball. It is that serious!"

"Let me make it very clear that we are not seeking a 'showdown' with Mr. Miller — or with you — or with

anyone else."

"We are taking our position because we believe it is the only one we can take to guarantee the future of baseball."

"Since most of you are away from home — here in St. Petersburg — it is only fair to tell you our plans in the event of a strike ... as Mr. Miller has threatened."

"You are entitled to know our procedure in order for you to make your own plans accordingly."

"We will provide airplane tickets for each of you to return to your respective homes. Our traveling secretary will help you make your travel arrangements."

"Gentlemen, I want to thank you for giving me this chance to discuss this very important matter with you ... and to give you our point of view."

"And now, Dick Meyer, Big Devine, and I will be glad to try to answer any questions you may have."

"The floor is open."

"If you'd like to express your views, just drop me a letter or if you want to go to the top ... fire out a letter to Marvin Miller, Executive Director, Major League Baseball Players Association, New York, New York."

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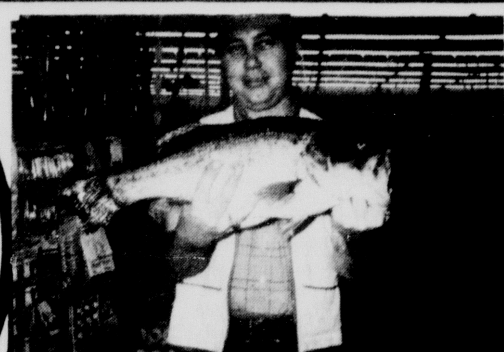
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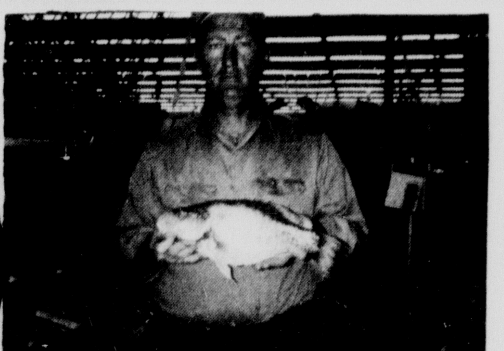
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## PUBLIC NOTICES

CALL FOR THE 1972  
SCOTT COUNTY DEMOCRATIC  
CONVENTION  
AND NOTICE OF WARD  
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TO: ALL SCOTT COUNTY  
COMMITTEEMEN AND  
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By authority granted in the  
Constitution and By-Laws of the  
Democratic Party of Missouri,  
adopted on April 8, 1971, and as  
amended on March 21, 1972, the  
Township and Ward mass meeting of  
Scott County Democratic Party is  
hereby called to convene on April  
18, 1972, at 2 o'clock p.m., at the  
designated places, to select  
delegates and alternates for the  
county convention.

The county convention is  
called to convene on May 9, 1972,  
at 2 o'clock p.m. in the Scott  
County Court House at Benton,  
Missouri, to select delegates to  
attend the state convention and the  
district caucus. The same delegation  
shall be sent to both.

The district caucus is May 23,  
1972, place and time to be  
announced later. The state  
convention is called to convene on  
June 10, 1972, at 12 o'clock noon,  
in Richardson Auditorium, Lincoln  
University, Jefferson City, Missouri,  
to select delegates and alternates  
for the Democratic National  
Convention in 1972, and to  
transact any and all business of a  
pertinent nature coming before said  
convention.

Every person is eligible to  
participate, who (1) is a member of  
the Democratic Party of Missouri as  
defined in Article II, Section 2 of  
the Constitution and By-Laws (2) is  
a resident of the election district  
where said meeting is held (3) and  
who is at least 18 years of age. No  
other requirement shall be imposed.

Every township or ward of a  
county in which a county  
convention is held shall be entitled  
to representation in said County  
Convention on the basis of one (1)  
delegate or one (1) vote for every  
one hundred (100) votes or major  
fraction thereof cast in said  
township or ward for the  
Democratic candidate for  
Governor in the last preceding  
election.

All township and ward mass  
meetings of Scott County, will  
convene Tuesday, April 18, 1972,  
at 2 o'clock p.m., at the following  
locations:

Commerce Township,  
Commerce City Hall  
Kelso Township, Chaffee City  
Hall - N. Main

Moreland Township, Benton  
County Court House  
Richland Township, Sikeston,  
Old City Hall at 316 S.  
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Sandywood Township, Blodgett  
City Hall  
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Looking Back

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## Speaker Asks Railroad Aid

Nick Powers of Cape Girardeau, sales representative of the Frisco Railroad, spoke at the Tuesday night meeting of the Kiwanis club at the Ramada Inn.

Powers said hearings would soon start on the surfacing transportation act of 1971.

The bill is a 10-point program designed to help insure the survival and continuing improvement not only of the railroads but also of other major transportation sources, highways and waterways.

Powers told the club that railroad transportation has increased and by 1985 there would be twice as much business as now.

Powers asked the club members to write to their senators and representatives asking them to support the surface transportation act.

Earl Hutchison presented awards to three men for their outstanding work on Kiwanis Pancake Day. George Kirk,



**VIVIAN PARKS** of Owensboro, Ky., has been appointed director for the 1972 production of *Ramesses, the Story of Moses*. The appointment was made by producer Frank Gonzales. The play is performed each summer in the Amphitheater in Kenlake State Park in Aurora, Ky.

coffee maker, was presented a silver coffee pot; Lenzie Beck, cook, was given a spatula and Gary Chullino, waiter was given an apron.

In a report on Pancake Day, Jim Stallings said that business was better than last year.

John Bierk of Cape Girardeau was a guest and Steve Hastings of Cape Girardeau was a visiting Kiwanian.

President Dave Bowman announced that the charter night for the new Cape Rock Kiwanis club will be April 18 at the Holiday Inn in Cape Girardeau.

## Ad Manager Retires at Bluff

**POPLAR BLUFF** — Fay P. (Jake) Jacobs, advertising manager of the Poplar Bluff Daily American Republic since 1928, has retired at the age of 69.

## Strike

**ILLMO** — Twenty-eight operators, members of Local 513 of Cape Girardeau, remained away from their jobs Tuesday at West Lake Quarry and Materials, as a wildcat strike continued into its 18th day.

The operators left their jobs March 18 in protest to the firing of a union member, Jerry Wright of Commerce.

On March 28, the company filed a petition in Scott County Circuit Court requesting a permanent injunction, including a petition for temporary injunction and application for a restraining order, against the striking operators.

The Scott County Circuit Clerk's office said summonses were served the day the petition was filed. The petition will not be ruled upon until April 24.

The company charged that Wright struck Orville Fehr, superintendent, when he was fired and given his check. It alleges that the operators failed to report to work and on March 20 congregated at a road leading to the quarry, blocking the roadway with a truck and physically threatened Fehr.

It claims that on March 22, the striking operators threw rocks and pieces of wood at customers' trucks; on March 23 cut down a tree to block the roadway to the quarry, and on March 24, blocked the roadway with trucks and followed a customer who was leaving the premises for several miles.

Picket lines were dispersed when the summonses were served. None of the operators have returned to work.

Wm. Tinker, representative of Local 513, said the "union is not involved" in the strike. "We told them to go back to work last Monday (March 27)," he said.

Fehr acknowledged that the operators were not back on their jobs, but had no other comment.

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## What's The Law

## Track Bet Winner Loses After All

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Bummy became a daily double winner when Cabbage beat out Girdle in the stretch and won by a head. Unfortunately, the jubilant Bummy never collected. As he was galloping through a corridor to the pay-off window, someone clobbered him on the head, knocked him unconscious and trotted off with his winning ticket.

Awaking a loser, Bummy sued the promoter of the race track not only for his injuries, but also to collect on the daily double. "A race track promoter has a duty to protect his fans against assault and robbery," he complained in court. "Well, he didn't protect me. And, I've got a glowing nob on my noggin to prove it."

"I'm sorry about that," was the promoter's answer. "But I run a race track and not a protection agency. While I may be responsible for an honest race, I can be held responsible for the human race."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make Bummy a winner by making the tract promoter pay off?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that when a person invites the public to attend sports events on his premises, he has a duty to provide reasonable protection against the possibility of assault and robbery. However, noted the judge, Bummy failed to show how his being clobbered on the head was a result of any breach of duty on the part of the race track promoter so as to make the race track promoter liable for the incident. Based upon a 1967 United States District Court Decision)

## Dowd Attacks New Madrid Endorsement

**NEW MADRID** — Southeast Missouri politicians are "trying to crank up the old machine one more time, but I think it is about out of gas," Edward L. Dowd, Democratic candidate for governor, said Wednesday in a swing through the Bootheel.

His comment was directed at endorsement by "New Madrid County politicians" of one of his opponents in the gubernatorial race, he said.

The other candidate was not named, but the reference was to Wm. E. Morris, lieutenant governor, who received the endorsement of the New Madrid County Democratic party a few days ago.

"Today's voters are more sophisticated and better informed than anytime in our nation's history," Dowd said. "As a result, they are going to vote their conscience in the secrecy of the voting booth."

He commented on the victory of Daniel Walker in the Illinois Democratic gubernatorial contest and declared it demonstrated that machine politics is a relic of generations past. The people of

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## Ziegler Wins Re-Election

**BENTON** — Joe J. Ziegler was reelected president of the Scott County R-IV Board of Education in reorganization Tuesday night following the school election at which Herschel Gilpin and Ben Vinyard were reelected to the board.

Vinyard received 363 votes and Gilpin, 356.

Vinyard was reelected vice president and Bill Graham was reelected secretary.

A proposal to increase the school levy by 25 cents on the \$100 assessed valuation failed 197 to 274.

## Eight Years For Assault

**CARUTHERSVILLE** — Percy Burns, a 40-year-old ex-convict, was sentenced to eight years in the Missouri Department of Corrections after he admitted to a felony charge stemming from an assault with intent to rape.

Circuit Judge William Ragland, Caruthersville, handed down the sentence after Burns pleaded guilty to the charge stemming from an incident in Caruthersville earlier this year.

Burns was one of two men ordered to serve sentences in Pemiscot County Circuit Court.

Prosecuting Attorney Art Stephenson had charged Burns with breaking into a Caruthersville woman's home earlier this year. Authorities said the woman's boyfriend was asleep when the man broke in. Burns was accused of ordering the woman to remove her undergarments at which time her companion awoke and attacked the man. As the two struggled out the front door, a Caruthersville police car was cruising by and arrested Burns on the scene. He had been released from prison before the incident occurred, authorities said.

He said his travels over Missouri have shown him "There is a developing a real cynicism among our citizens that our government is not being operated for the benefit of the people."

Dowd said a streamlined efficient, economical state government would help restore confidence.

## Patterson Opposes Hike In School Aid

**JEFFERSON CITY, Mo.** (AP) — Here is the Senate roll call increasing the amount of state aid for schools from \$304 million this year to \$339 million next year:

For — Bradshaw, Cason, Cox, Esely, Gant, Howard, Johnson, Jones of Kansas City, Lee, Merrell, Noland, Payne, Schechter, Schneider, Skelton, Spradling, Stone, Tinnin, Vanlandingham, Webster, Wilson.

Total 21.  
Against — Avery, Brancato, Jones of St. Louis County, Keating, Linehan, Manford, Owens, Patterson, Pentland, Waters, Young.

Total 11.  
Absent — Blackwell, Joynt.

Q — What is the British equivalent of our legal holiday?

A — In Great Britain, the term "bank holiday" means the same thing that the term "legal holiday" means in the United States.

## BARBS

By PHIL PASTORET

The movement against women wearing natural furs may also help to keep the husband species from vanishing through bankruptcy.

Something that needs to be taken with a grain of salt adds a dash of pepper to life.



An old-timer recalls when the whee-necked dress was considered daring.

It's a good idea to nurse your money — heaven knows, it's sick enough.

## Armed Forces

Johnnie Allen Smith of Sikeston and Paul David Brock of Marston have enlisted in the navy.

Smith, son of Mrs. Gertrude Reece of Sikeston, will be sent to the Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Ill.

Brock, son of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Brock of Marston, will be sent to the Naval Training Center in San Diego.

The Appalachian Trail, running about 2,000 miles from Maine to Georgia, and the Pacific Crest Trail, extending 2,350 miles from Mexico to British Columbia, were established as National Scenic Trails by the Federal Trails Act of 1968. The World Almanac says.

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Those approved were LaWanda Calhoun of Sikeston; Sue Stephens and Patsy Van Hook of Corning, Ark.; Floyd Rice, who taught last year at Cooter; Willene England, also of Sikeston; and Miss Martha Strayhorn of Nashville, Tenn.

Claude John Jameson, 53, well known Sikeston Certified Public Accountant, died of a heart ailment today, at his home, 604 North Kingshighway.

Peggy Ruth Nickens celebrated her 13th birthday with a party last evening at her home, 220 North Prairie.

Virginia Ann Malcolm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm, celebrated her 10th birthday Monday with a party in the play room of the garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Blackman of Bertrand are parents of a baby girl born yesterday at the Delta Community Hospital.

It's a baby girl for Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Skiles of New Madrid born yesterday.

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The Prayer from

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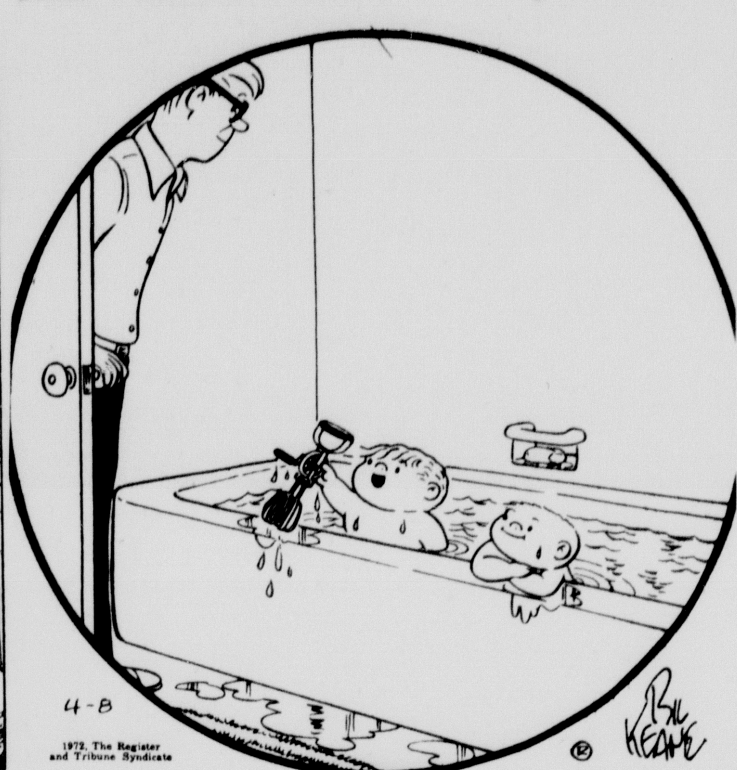
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PRAYER: Dear God, help





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## OUT OUR WAY by Nell Cochran



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## Today In U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Saturday, April 8th, the 99th day of 1972. There are 267 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1513, the Spanish explorer Ponce de Leon landed in Florida in his search for the fountain of youth.

On this date: In 1663, the Drury Lane theater opened in London.

In 1730, the first Jewish congregation in America consecrated its synagogue in New York City. The congregation dated back to 1655.

In 1826, Secretary of State Henry Clay fought a duel with Sen. John Randolph of Virginia. Neither was hurt.

In 1939, King Zog of Albania fled from Italian occupation forces.

In 1895, the U.S. Supreme Court declared that an income tax law passed the year before was unconstitutional. Taxes that had been collected were returned.

In 1918, the U.S. Army ordered its first air squadron to duty in World War I.

Ten years ago: A referendum in France approved a peace settlement with nationalist rebels in Algeria.

Five years ago: A study was published asserting that 15 percent of Princeton University's undergraduates had experimented with drugs.

One year ago: It was announced that the U.S. death toll in Vietnam totaled 88 in the past week. It was the highest toll in nine months.

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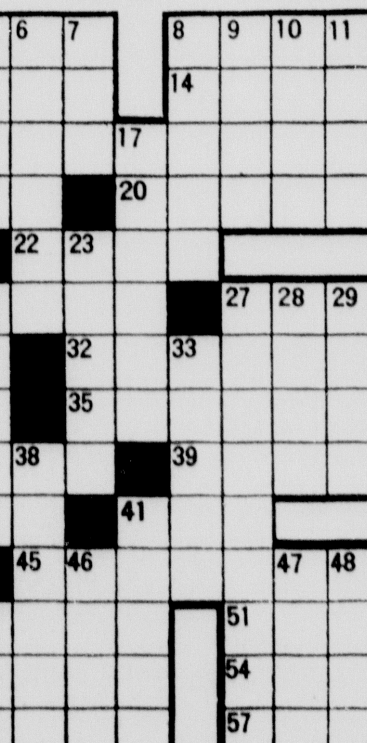
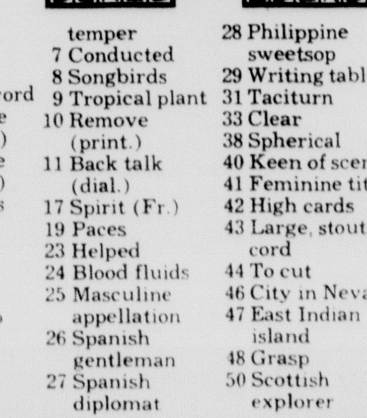
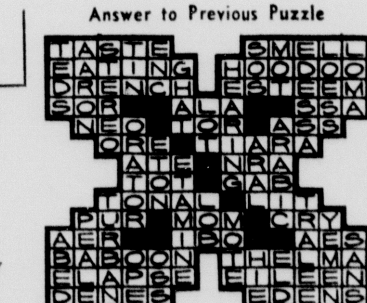
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## Female and Male

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  - 4 Young woman
  - 8 Youthful
  - 12 Writing implement
  - 13 Notion (Fr.)
  - 14 Athena
  - 15 Equine idiom
  - 16 Trifles (var.)
  - 18 Braced framework
  - 20 Snow gliders
  - 21 Rights (ab.)
  - 22 Snoozes
  - 24 Glut
  - 26 Stimulate
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  - 32 Distend
  - 34 Dried grape
  - 35 Musical studies
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- 37 and master
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  - 40 Roman emperor
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  - 42 Malicious burning
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  - 49 Deduced
  - 51 Mien
  - 52 Fencing sword
  - 53 Girl's name
  - 54 Blithe (Fr.)
  - 55 Plant ovule
  - 56 Esau (Bib.)
  - 57 Cleopatra's serpent
  - 1 Blemish
  - 2 Give ear to
  - 3 Amuse
  - 4 Presents
  - 5 False god
  - 6 Soften in
  - 7 Conducted
  - 8 Songbirds
  - 9 Tropical plant
  - 10 Remove
  - 11 Back talk (dial.)
  - 17 Spirit (Fr.)
  - 19 Paces
  - 23 Helped
  - 24 Blood fluids
  - 25 Masculine appellation
  - 26 Spanish gentleman
  - 27 Spanish diplomat
  - 28 Philippine sweetsop
  - 29 Writing table
  - 31 Taciturn
  - 33 Clear
  - 38 Spherical
  - 40 Keen of scent
  - 41 Feminine title
  - 42 High cards
  - 43 Large, stout cord
  - 44 To cut
  - 46 City in Nevada
  - 47 East Indian island
  - 48 Grasp
  - 50 Scottish explorer



**STAR GAZER**  
By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Sunday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

**ARIES** MAR. 21 - APR. 19  
20-21-31-43  
51-61-79-84

**TAURUS** APR. 20 - MAY 20  
11-13-25-37  
46-58-69

**GEMINI** MAY 21 - JUNE 20  
4-6-19-36  
48-68-80-90

**CANCER** JUNE 21 - JULY 21  
15-25-35-45  
54-64-74-84

**LEO** JULY 22 - AUG. 22  
1-16-29-40  
50-62-76

**VIRGO** AUG. 23 - SEPT. 22  
10-22-32-42  
53-63-73-83

**LIBRA** SEPT. 23 - OCT. 22  
2-32-44-63  
65-72-81-86

**SCORPIO** OCT. 23 - NOV. 21  
7-12-24-34  
45-57-78

**SAGITTARIUS** NOV. 22 - DEC. 21  
5-15-23-35  
47-56-67

**CAPRICORN** DEC. 22 - JAN. 19  
17-18-27-28  
39-73-82-87

**AQUARIUS** JAN. 20 - FEB. 18  
3-8-9-53  
54-55-66

**PISCES** FEB. 19 - MAR. 20  
30-41-42-71  
74-77-83-89

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## Reds Gather Mekong Steam

SAIGON (AP) — The Communist command's offensive slowed in some sectors of South Vietnam today, but gathered steam in the Mekong Delta south of Saigon, where rocket, mortar and small ground assaults nearly doubled.

The United States, meanwhile, rushed more planes and ships to Indochina to join a bombing campaign against military targets in North Vietnam.

Most of the Communist ground attacks were aimed at regional and local force militia outposts which form a defensive perimeter around villages and hamlets.

Field sources said initial reports indicated that casualties were not high, but that many troops were "missing." This indicated that many of the militiamen may have fled, been abducted or willingly accompanied the enemy.

To the north of Saigon, government defenders reportedly were still holding at the besieged provincial capital of An Loc, 60 miles above the capital on Highway 13.

## Rusk: 'Bad News In Vietnam'

DECATUR, Ga. (AP) — Former Secretary of State Dean Rusk says the American public should be prepared for "bad news," as North Vietnam continues its offensive in South Vietnam.

"We have made a decision to get out of Vietnam, and we have to be braced for the consequences," Rusk said. "We can't have it both ways. When we made a decision like that, we have to be ready for bad news."

"It is my opinion that some of the people who urged the President to get the troops out of Vietnam as soon as possible now will blame him if the military situation goes bad."

Rusk, who served as secretary of state under Presidents John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson, also said in a speech before the Decatur Rotary Club that he doubted the significance of the Paris Peace talks.

"My hunch is, he said, "that this particular dispute is most likely to be resolved on the ground rather than in Paris."

Rusk called the new North Vietnamese offensive a violation of an agreement made with the Johnson administration in 1968, and added:

"It will be interesting to find out if at long last some of the news commentators in this country will talk about the North Vietnamese escalation of the war."

## Ichord Files For Re-Election

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Eighth District Congressman Richard H. Ichord filed for re-election Friday. He is serving his sixth term in Congress and is chairman of the House Committee on Internal Security.

Last year he toured the state for several months, testing sentiment about his running for the Democratic nomination for governor. He finally decided to try for re-election to Congress.

No one else has filed in the 8th District. Ichord, 45, is a veteran of the Navy Air Force in World War II and holds degrees in accounting and law from the University of Missouri.

He served from 1953 to 1961 in the Missouri House of representatives, the last two years as speaker.

Friday night in a Rolla speech he urged his constituents to press for a start of construction on the Meramec River. He suggested they write the White House urging action.

"There are no legitimate environmental reasons why they (the dams) should not be constructed," Ichord said. "The planned projects are the best possible use of the river."

## LBJ Heart Attack Serious

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (AP) — A heart specialist said today former President Lyndon B. Johnson suffered a serious heart attack Friday morning and his chances for recovery are "about 8 in 10."

Dr. John Willis Hurst appeared at a news conference at the University of Virginia Hospital here with Lady Bird Johnson by his side.

Hurst said Johnson suffered a myocardial infarction, which is a narrowing of an artery which deprives the heart of its blood supply.

The most recent attack, the physician said, was about the same intensity of one suffered by Johnson in 1955, "but his response is much better now."

Hurst said the former president probably would have to remain in the hospital "more than a few days" but hopefully less than several weeks.

The 63-year-old former chief executive was taken to the University of Virginia Hospital here before daylight Friday and was taken to the hospital's cardiac care unit.

Hurst, a heart specialist from the University of Georgia Medical Center, was flown here by special jet to treat Johnson. Hurst treated Johnson in late 1955, when the then U.S. senator suffered a heart attack.

Mrs. Johnson appeared to be relatively cheerful.

## Fire Breaks Out In Store

A fire of undetermined origin broke out at 11:40 a.m. yesterday at the Coffey T.V. and Appliance Store, 107 west Center.

Firemen extinguished the blaze before it caused substantial damage. Fire broke out in a wall inside the store.

## New Quake Fault In SeMo

ROLLA, Mo. (AP) — The last two earthquakes felt in southeastern Missouri have occurred in a geological fault which runs parallel to the well-known New Madrid fault, a scientist at the University of Missouri-Rolla said Friday.

Dr. Reinhard Frohlich, director of the school's Geophysical Observatory, said it is possible that some new seismic activity is occurring in the central United States.

The last earthquake felt in the area was March 29. The epicenter of the quake was 168 miles from the UMR station in the northeastern part of Arkansas. The shock registered 4.3 on the Richter scale.

Frohlich said the seismic station at Rolla and others in the area are making careful studies of information recorded about seismic activity in the area.

## Six Rings Missing

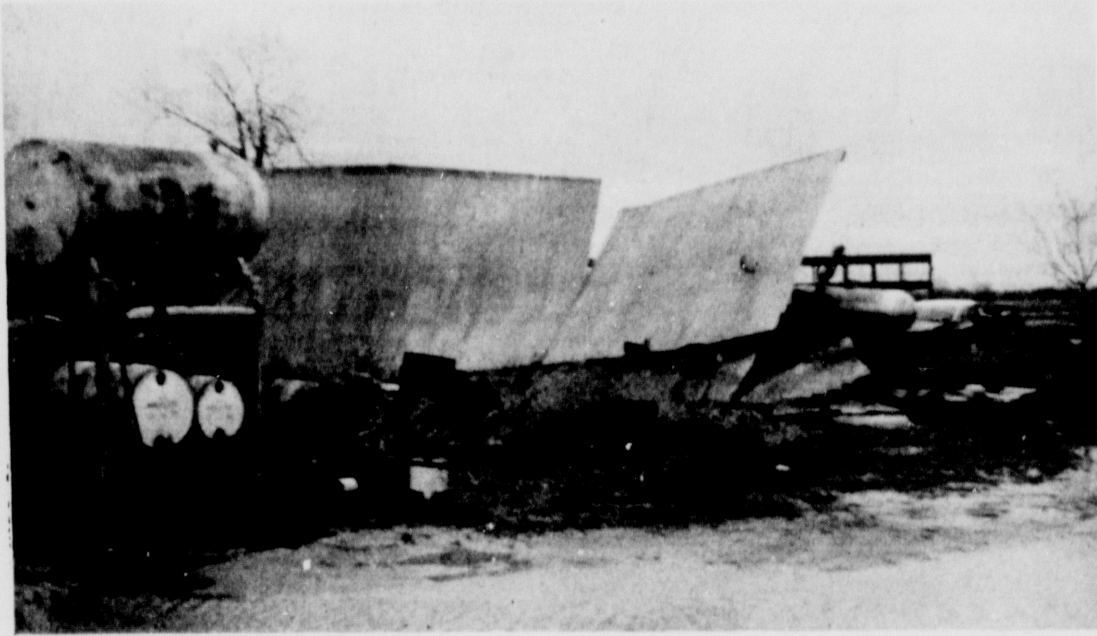
Six rings valued at \$350 were reported missing from a jewelry counter at Wal-Mart Discount Store on east Malone yesterday.

The theft was reported to police at 5:45 p.m. The case in which the rings were kept was thought to be locked when the rings disappeared, according to police. Neither police nor employees could explain how the rings vanished.

## Jaycee Installation Tonight

Jaycee officers will be installed at an awards dinner tonight at 7 at the country club.

New officers are Rick Adams of the Bank of Sikeston, president; Dennis Ziegenhorn of Ziegenhorn Insurance Agency, first vice president; Allen Blanton, editor of The Daily Standard, second vice president; Steve Sikes of Sikes Sporting Goods, secretary; Robbie Henley, of Burden-McClung Electric Service, treasurer; Darrel Stewart of Tucker Truck Lines and David Sloan of Waters and Associates, state directors.



STRONG WINDS estimated at 40 miles per hour demolished a shed at 2:30 p.m. yesterday on land farmed by Charles Hannah two and one half miles south of Sikeston. Tornado warnings were out until 6 p.m. yesterday and the rainfall was measured at .52 inch. Extensive hail damage was reported to cars, windows, and awnings in Bloomfield yesterday.

## Basler Workers Walk Out, Picket

CHARLESTON — Workers at Basler Electric Company left their jobs and established picket lines at the plant Friday at 1 p.m.

According to Herb Roach, director of personnel for the Highland, Ill., based firm, 52 of the 57 employees have been involved in contract negotiations with the company two months.

Employees at the factory, which manufactures electrical transformers, voted in November of 1971 for representation by the Steel Workers Union.

Asked about the reasons

for the walkout, Roach said: "It is a crossbreed of items. It would be unfair to both sides to say the problem is wages alone."

In response to a report that machinery essential to operation and manufacture of transformers was moved out prior to 11 a.m. Friday, Roach said that because of the nature of and various locations of the company, machinery is periodically moved from one plant to another.

He also said that no date has been set for further negotiations.

## Pickets Ordered Away

BENTON — Temporary injunction was issued by Judge Marshal Craig yesterday ordering members of the Iron Workers Union of Cape Girardeau to remove pickets from the entrance to the Cape Girardeau Municipal Airport.

The Iron Workers are picketing the Rodgers Construction Co. of Dexter, which is building a hangar at the airport with non-union personnel.

City officials, who sought the injunction claiming the picketing constituted a secondary boycott and was illegal. They said other union personnel refused to cross picket lines and make deliveries or use airport facilities. The picket lines were set up on Nash Road.

The injunction stipulates the Iron Workers may picket the construction site only.

A hearing on making the injunction permanent will be held May 5 in Benton.

## Man Sought In Thefts

CHARLESTON — A Sikeston man is being sought for questioning in connection with theft of four tape players, a shotgun and a rifle, according to Chief of Police Stanley Mungle.

Police recovered the stolen articles at 5 a.m. today at a house on West Ada Street.

According to Mungle, Officer Willie Jarrett observed a man tampering with a car on West Ada Street today and when authorities approached him, he ran.

Time of the thefts has not been determined. The articles have been identified by owners.

Police said the items were taken to the house on Ada St. and asked an unidentified occupant to keep them.

Charleston police are investigating.

## Two Arrests

CHARLESTON — Two were arrested Friday by police on a charge of public intoxication.

Appearing today in court was Delbert Ray Crane, 36, Charleston, who was fined \$16.

Alvie Burton of Benton forfeited \$25 bond.

## Weather Review

Weather observations are for the 24-hour periods ending at 7 a.m. daily.

	Rain	High	Low
April 1	.00	49	29
April 2	trace	64	29
April 3	.53	63	31
April 4	.00	55	32
April 5	.00	65	34
April 6	.12	77	47
April 7	.37	77	29
Rainfall for week	1.02		
Rainfall for month	1.02		
Rainfall for year	11.56		
Jan.	69	70	71
Feb.	10.56	36	4.01
Mar.	2.28	2.66	6.81
Apr.	5.96	8.39	2.34
May	1.96	2.97	3.68
June	1.26	8.61	7.70
July	3.29	2.18	5.05
Aug.	3.29	3.41	5.32
Sept.	2.17	4.97	4.74
Oct.	2.99	5.04	1.71
Nov.	3.78	2.26	2.54
Dec.	2.02	3.87	4.20
	43.50	53.18	49.78

# Airline Pirate Jumps With \$500,000 Ransom

PRÖVO, Utah (AP) — A manhunt focused on this central Utah city today for a young hijacker who leaped from a United Air Lines 727 jetliner Friday night with \$500,000 ransom after forcing a zigzag flight across the West.

Aerial flares lighted early morning skies over nearby Utah Lake as hundreds of lawmen started a search for the armed man.

This was the seventh time in just under five months that parachutes and ransom figured in airline piracy.

The nine-hour odyssey began over the Rocky Mountains almost 30 minutes after the plane left Denver at 2:36 p.m. MST when a mustachioed passenger wearing mirrored sunglasses, a pink shirt and a blue pin-striped suit ordered the Los Angeles-bound plane diverted to San Francisco.

Mrs. Dick McLennan of Denver, who sat next to the hijacker, said she saw no weapon but did see the man pass notes to the captain.

A CBS Newsman on the plane, Jim Kilpatrick, said, "The notes that were passed back and forth were all pre-written."

Sandy Wilkinson, a 25-year-old off-duty UAL stewardess on the flight, said she did not see any weapons either but was told the hijacker had a hand grenade and pistol.

One passenger said the hijacker pulled a pistol.

The pilot said the hijacker told him he had "two hand guns, plastic explosives and hand grenades," but he saw only a pistol.

He said the hijacking was "a very well executed plan."

All but three of the 85 passengers had boarded in Denver, where airline officials said the only security precaution was a check of passengers against a "profile" of hijacker characteristics. The plane was Flight 855, originating in Newark, N.J.

For three hours the plane sat at the far end of Runway

## New Madrid Republicans Will Convene

NEW MADRID — Charles Spitzer, chairman of New Madrid County Republican Committee, announces a convention for Republican voters in the county will be at his office, 515 Virginia, next Saturday at 10 a.m.

Delegates will be elected to the Tenth Congressional District Republican Convention, which convenes at 2 p.m. April 29 at the Hickory House in Dexter, to name two delegates and alternates to attend the Republican National Convention for the nomination of a presidential elector.

Delegates also will be named at the county convention for the Republican state convention May 27 in Springfield.

## 2 Collisions

An automobile, driven by Rebecca Ann Craig, 533 Coleman did not stop at a stop sign yesterday and struck a car driven by Seamon Alexander, 1307 Ann Dr., according to police.

Police said Mrs. Craig slowed, but failed to stop at the intersection of East Gladys Street and South Kingshighway.

A car driven by Carl Western, route three, who was driving east on West Malone, told police he swerved to avoid hitting a car in his lane and struck the rear of a parked car.

The car owned by Buddy Alsop of Wappapello, rammed the rear of another parked car, owned by Kenneth R. Hoelscher, route four.

## Mobile Home Bill Dropped

ST. LOUIS (AP) — State Rep. Eugene Mazzuca, D-St. Louis said Friday he's giving up on a bill that would allow mobile homes 14 feet wide to travel Missouri highways. The present law sets a 12-foot width limit on such trailers.

19— Left, about a mile from main terminal at San Francisco International Airport, while the airline provided what the hijacker had demanded—four parachutes, fuel for 4,000 miles of flight and \$500,000.



THE MISSOURI HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT closed this bridge on U.S. 60 over the St. Francis River near Fisk, after an empty flatbed truck ripped up a 200-foot section of railing and damaged structural beams. A tire blew out, causing the crash. Highway officials from Jefferson City will inspect the bridge damage today.

## Three Face Rate Cutting Charges

JEFFERSON CITY — Two carriers and a shipper in Southeast Missouri were ordered today to appear at a hearing before the Missouri Public Service Commission concerning the alleged hauling of rock at charges lower than those set by the Commission.

Those ordered to appear at the hearing June 1 are William White of Marston, William H. Nelson of Cape Girardeau, both common carriers, Southeast Missouri Stone Company of Cape Girardeau and D. L. Harrison, president of the stone company.

The Commission directed them to disclose at the hearing the circumstances of the transportation of crushed stone from the stone company to a stock pile adjacent to Interstate 55 south of Portageville.

They were ordered to show cause why the hauling was not in violation of state

law, why the carriers' certificates should not be suspended or revoked, and why the general counsel of the commission should not be directed to seek penalties against the carriers for hauling at less than the prescribed rates and the shipper for aiding and abetting the carriers.

The commission said that during the period Nov. 6, 1968, through Feb. 28, 1969, the carriers allegedly collected a rate of \$1.80 per ton, while the lawful rate was \$2.60 per ton.

Its information indicates, the commission said, that a settlement was later made at the rate of \$2 per ton, but this resulted in a total charge less than that prescribed by the commission of \$27,170.

The penalty for hauling at less than the prescribed rates and for aiding and abetting is a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$2,000 for each offense.

## SEMO Press To Meet April 15

DE SOTO — The 80th annual meeting of the Southeast Missouri Press Association will be held April 15 at the Suburbia Country Club on U.S. 21 in DeSoto.

Registration will be held from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. The organization's annual business session will begin at 11 a.m.

The DeSoto Jefferson Republic and Press newspapers will be the host for the noon luncheon.

Lewis Roop, publisher of the two newspapers, requests that reservations for the luncheon and the evening banquet be made with him no later than April 13.

The afternoon program will feature presentations by Dr. Dale R. Spencer, professor of journalism at the University of Missouri-Columbia, and Richard D. O'Hallaron, assistant administrator for St. Mary's Hospital in St. Louis.

O'Hallaron is associated with the East Missouri Experimental Health Systems Service, an organization that has been involved in coordinating the transportation of outstate accident victims to St. Louis hospitals.

Dr. Spencer is an instructor in copy editing and communications law at the University's school of journalism. The holder of a law degree from the University, he is one of the nation's foremost authorities on libel law. His topic will be "Editing, Layout and Law."

off at 7:41 PST, headed east.

The Air Force said during the evening that F106 Delta Daggers at Hamilton Air Force Base had been alerted, but it refused to confirm they had been sent to follow the airliner.



## Close Bridge After Truck Rips Rails

FISK, Mo. (AP) — An empty flatbed truck ripped up a 200-foot section of railing and damaged structural beams on a U.S. 60 bridge over the St. Francis River near Fisk Friday.

The Missouri Highway Department ordered the bridge closed until further notice.

Police said the driver apparently lost control of the truck as it approached the bridge, about 10 miles east of Poplar Bluff.

The driver was identified as Graham Lewis Davis, 29, of St. Louis. He was reported in satisfactory condition at Poplar Bluff Hospital Friday night with cuts and a possible back injury.

The truck, which was heavily damaged, was leased to the M.W.M. Truck Lines of Arcadia.

Police said traffic was being detoured across Missouri T and Route 51, a distance of about 30 miles.

## Man Hurt In Fall From Roof

Larry Kinsey, 900 Vernon, received a mild concussion yesterday when he fell 10 feet from a roof of a house on Blanton Street in Clayton Heights.

Kinsey, an employee of Storey Construction Co., was repairing roof damage when he fell and landed on his side.

Kinsey said he was trying to back down to a ladder and missed it.

## It's Inside....

Kim Nothdurft, a junior at Delta high school, has been named District Star State Farmer. Turn to ... page 4.

Alfalfa weevil larvae have been detected in fields in Southeast Missouri. Turn to ... page 6.

... page 5.

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 77 and 29 degrees. Rain, accompanied by strong winds and scattered hail, measured .37 inch.

Clear to partly cloudy and cold tonight, low around 30. Considerable sunshine and a little warmer Sunday, high in low to mid 60s. Probabilities of rain 5 per cent tonight, 10 Sunday.

EXTENDED FORECAST  
Mild weather Monday, a change to cooler Tuesday and Wednesday. High Monday in 70s, falling into 60s by Wednesday. Lows from around 50 Monday to low 40s by Wednesday. A chance of rain about Monday.

HIGH AND LOW YESTERDAY  
Sunset today..... 6:27 p.m.  
Sunrise tomorrow... 5:33 a.m.  
Moonrise tomorrow 2:53 a.m.  
New Moon..... April 13  
Prominent Star  
Sirius in S. west..... 8:23 p.m.  
VISIBLE PLANETS  
Saturn sets..... 9:47 p.m.  
Venus just north of Saturn.  
Mars above Saturn.  
Jupiter in S. east..... 2:09 a.m.



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Saturday, April 8 — Indented Margin Festival

#### POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

When a man tells a girl he is not worthy of her, he doesn't mean it, as she finds out after they are married.

#### GREAT DECISION FOR NORTHERN IRELAND

The action of Prime Minister Heath suspending the government in Northern Ireland is very encouraging. The discrimination against Catholics in the last fifty years has not been the policy of England. Now that the government in Belfast has been disbanded, the Catholics there should realize they must give the new government every consideration. There is every reason to believe that Catholics under British rule will be treated just as fairly as they are in England.

The Protestants knew changes had to come. It was quite obvious to almost everyone the Belfast government had failed. The Protestants should be relieved that a period of hope will replace the turmoil of the past few years. This was not a religious issue. Just as Catholics in England have been treated fairly for generations, so have Protestants been treated fairly in the Irish Republic, centered in Dublin.

There is still a long way to go. There is still a lot to be done. The violence must cease, whether inspired by the old IRA or by Marxists. It will not be an easy task. England must deal with extremists on both sides. But it can no longer let suspects be arrested and imprisoned for months without trial. Due process will have to be restored.

The new government will have to change old ways, minimize old hostility, abolish gradually old patterns of discrimination, particularly in employment. These things cannot be done in a year or two. But they can be done, and we are confident the England of the 1970's can do it.

Inspection and grading of meat and poultry are two separate, but related programs within USDA's Consumer and Marketing Service. The inspection program covers wholesomeness and proper labeling. To pass inspection, meat and poultry products must be from healthy animals and birds which were handled or processed under strict sanitary conditions, must not be adulterated, and must be truthfully packaged and labeled. The other program is grading for quality. Grading is a voluntary service to meat packers, poultry processors and others who request it and pay a fee for the service.

#### POLITICAL QUESTIONS OF THE MONTH

Is there anything unusual -- or illegal -- about a business corporation's offering to pick up part of the tab for a national political convention?

U. S. News & World Report says that question is at the heart of much of the hullabaloo in Washington over the nomination of Richard Kleindienst to be the next Attorney General.

A Congressional committee wants to know what, if anything, Mr. Kleindienst had to do with an out-of-court settlement of a federal anti-trust case against the International Telephone & Telegraph Company.

The case was settled, it is charged (mostly by Jack Anderson, the columnist), after the company had volunteered to defray some costs of this year's Republican Convention in San Diego.

The controversy has raised many questions about who provides the Convention money and how it is used. U. S. News & World Report comments that these answers come from officials of both parties.

##### 1. How are national conventions financed?

In any number of ways. Cities often bid for the privilege of hosting a convention and, generally speaking, they welcome any financial assistance to support their bid.

2. Do corporations or other businesses often help finance political conventions?

Very often -- through certain kinds of contributions which are permitted, by donations of services, by paying for advertising that appears in convention programs, and in other ways.

3. Are these contributions made to the Republican and Democratic parties?

No. They go to civic groups or to special committees that are set up to underwrite the costs of conventions.

This year, for example, San Diego County and its business community pledged \$600,000 in cash to support its successful bid to be the convention city for the Republicans in August.

In the case of the Democratic Party, the Miami Beach Tourist Development Authority, the hotel association, and a Governor's committee representing businessmen, corporations and party fund-raisers pledged approximately \$450,000 in cash. The Democratic Convention will be held in that city in July.

##### 4. What is money spent on?

It goes to pay for temporary construction work in the convention hall, rent for office space, printing tickets and signs, telephone service, decorations, salary and travel costs for party officials and staff members, many other expenses.

Democrats will not have to pay rent this year for their convention hall because the one in Miami Beach is owned by the city. Republicans, however, will have to pay rent for the privately owned arena they will use in San Diego.

5. How much does it cost to stage a national political convention?

Republicans estimate that their cash outlay will be between 1.5 and 2 million dollars. The Democrats hope to hold their expenses to around 1 million dollars.

6. Since conventions cost so much, and host cities

put up much of the money, why do they often go to great lengths to be chosen as a site?

A major reason is that these big gatherings bring a lot of extra money to town. They attract thousands of delegates and alternates, party officials and workers, and a huge press corps. By one calculation, each city can count on as much as 7 million dollars that will be spent by these people alone.

7. Are their laws governing donations to political conventions?

The Corrupt Practices Act prohibits direct corporate contributions. But various federal rulings permit certain exceptions. One, by the Internal Revenue Service, allows corporations to buy advertising in convention programs and to treat the cost as a business expense when figuring taxes.

8. How big a contribution did the International Telephone & Telegraph Company make to the Republican Convention committee?

There have been statements that the corporation offered as much as \$400,000 to defray expenses at the Convention.

ITT officials denied this much was offered. They said a subsidiary, Sheraton Hotels Corporation, paid \$100,000 to the San Diego Convention and Visitors Bureau fund, and offered to provide \$100,000 more to match local donations, if they were needed. Sheraton has two hotels in San Diego and a third to be opened there before the Convention.

On March 8, Richard Herman, National Committee official in charge of Convention arrangements, said that Republicans would accept no more than \$25,000 from Sheraton and that figure might be reduced to keep it in line with the contributions from other corporations.

Meanwhile, in Washington, Richard Kleindienst has told the Senate Judiciary Committee that he had known nothing of the contributions by the ITT subsidiary when the anti-trust suit against the corporation was in progress.

9. Is there controversy over funds for the Democratic convention?

Yes. Senator Bob Dole, Republican National Committee chairman, has criticized the American Telephone & Telegraph Company's plans to install phones this year at the Democratic gathering. He said this would seem to be an illegal loan or contribution, because Democrats owe AT&T 1.5 million dollars for service during the 1968 campaign. Later, AT&T said this year's service will be on a cash basis.

So who foots the bills for the political conventions? What the above doesn't answer, we suggest that you ask your party's state chairman -- and watch him stutter.

Are your French-fried potatoes soggy and greasy? Maybe your frying fat is not hot enough. Temperature of the fat should be 370 to 385 degrees F. At this temperature, a one-inch bread cube will brown in 20 to 45 seconds, according to U. S. Department of Agriculture home economists. Potatoes should be cooked in small batches so temperature of the fat will not be lowered drastically.

A good formula for personal saving appeared in the Carolina LP Gas News: "In spite of rising prices, and in some respects because of them, thrift is growing more important everyday. Money for big-ticket items and education takes longer to accumulate. The only way to solve the problem is through a program of regular saving. Good intentions are vulnerable if not bolstered by determination to deposit a fixed amount every payday. Whether it be \$2 or \$20, the principle is the same: you have to keep steadily at it. Here's how to succeed at saving: Save for something. Choose an object -- something you want, something worthwhile. Thrift for its own sake is commendable, but have a 'deferred satisfaction' to look forward to makes it fun. Pay yourself first. Save before you spend. Proceed on the basis that you owe yourself that certain amount to keep. Then saving becomes a habit, and easier to do. Plan your spending. A budget helps, proving a blueprint, so you can save according to plan. Don't scrimp. Needless economics can become a burden. Saving too much is as bad as saving too little, and being miserly takes the zest out of living. Don't ruin your program by saving too much too quickly."

A fellow who ignores traffic laws may well find he has been hearing -- around on the highway...

... Build a better mousetrap, and it'll turn out that someone else had a prior patent...

BIG 'OUT OF BUSINESS' SALE

The French government is trying to unload the biggest white elephant of all time -- the \$600-million Maginot Line of fortresses which, true to military tradition, was built to fight the next war according to the last war's strategies.

For years, the government tried to persuade the army to give up the long-abandoned line, which the National Geographic describes as a 300-mile chain of buried battlefields. Finally, in November, the first forts were put up for auction. All but the largest installations will be on sale this year.

The forts have one thing going for them -- a panoramic view of German's similar folly, the Siegfried Line.

You are always hearing timid people laughingly compared to the rabbit. Considering the number of hunters with shotguns and the number of dogs with long legs, it is the rabbit's business to be timid.

An old bachelor will engage himself to marry young girls over and over, and get away, only to be caught by a widow. It always amuses people. At least ten girls prepared their clothes to marry a certain Sikeston bachelor, and he always managed to escape. But he began paying attention to a widow, and she nailed him in two months. A widow knows how to handle men from experience. An ordinary man is small potatoes in the hands of a smart widow.

A successful marriage counselor is a make-up artist.

## "What Time Is It Now?"



TOMORROW

APRIL 9 — SUNDAY  
BUDDHA DAY. Apr. 9. HI. Festivities on all resort islands.

HARMONY WEEK. Apr. 9-15. Purpose: "To commemorate the birthday of our Society." Sponsor: Society for the Preservation and Encouragement of Barber Shop Quartet Singing in America Inc., Hugh A. Ingraham, Dir., Comm., 6315 Third Ave., Kenosha, WI 53141.

NATIONAL BOYS' CLUB WEEK. Apr. 9-15. Purpose: "To promote cause of juvenile DECENTY and work done toward this end by 950 Boys' Clubs of America." Sponsor: Boys' Clubs of America, E. J. Stapleton, Dir. Publ. Info., 771 First Ave., New York, NY 10017.

NATIONAL HOSTILITY WEEK. Apr. 9-15. Purpose: "Students of the Heckle Academy Division view for the crown of Hostility Champion by demonstration exercises in how to squelch a heckler, how to get along in a hostile world, how to face pickets and demonstrations, and overcome hostility at home." Info. from: George Q. Lewis, Humor Societies of America, 342 Madison Ave., New York, NY 10017.

PAN AMERICAN WEEK. Apr. 9-15. By Presidential proclamation. (Always issued for the week including April

14, except in 1965).  
SIR WINSTON CHURCHILL DAY. Apr. 9. Anniversary of enactment of legislation which made the late British statesman an honorary citizen of the U. S.

APRIL 10 — MONDAY  
MAGNETICS CONFERENCE (INTERNATIONAL). Apr. 10-13. Kyoto, Japan.

SALVATION ARMY FOUNDER'S DAY. Apr. 10. On this day in 1829 William Booth, founder of the Salvation Army, was born in London.

TOP OF THE WORLD SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS. Apr. 10-17. Inuvik, Northwest Territories, Canada. "Wind-up race for many of the world's finest cross country skiers."

The kids were whooping it up to a Western on TV, as the wife was running her sewing machine in the den, and the teenage daughter was giving full volume to her rock and roll records in the bedroom. Finally the husband could stand it no longer, so he phoned the widow next door.

"Can I come over for a little peace and quiet?" he pleaded.

"Why, certainly," she replied happily. "As long as you keep quiet!"

#### WHEN SALES PEOPLE DON'T KNOW

An advertising copywriter for Beautyrest Mattresses once paid a visit to a furniture store to check out a new dealer display. While he was browsing through the department, he watched a woman customer who was scrutinizing a Beautyrest. She pointed to another mattress and asked, "Isn't that an innerpring mattress, too?"

The clerk told her it was. She then asked, "Why does the Beautyrest cost twice as much? What is the difference?"

The clerk couldn't tell her. The ad man walked down the street to another store and pretended he was a mattress customer. He asked the clerk, the same question and got a blank look.

He tried this same approach in six more stores and in none of them did he get a satisfactory answer to his question. "What is the difference?"

He returned to his typewriter and put together a series of ads extolling the superior construction of the Beautyrest plus other virtues, and told why it cost more than competitive makes. While he was at it, he prepared an informative booklet for retail sales people so they would be able to answer all questions intelligently and convincingly forever after.

## Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

WASHINGTON—Confidential minutes, kept under wraps for a year, reveal how the soap suds crowd used the White House to try to prevent the banning of phosphates from laundry detergents.

The backstage operator who pulled the right wires inside the White House, the minutes indicate, was Procter & Gamble's Bryce Harlow. He knew his way around the White House, having spent two years on leave as President Nixon's chief lobbyist on Capitol Hill.

Harlow was called back to the soap factory in December of 1970 to bolster the defense against the environmentalists, who were up in arms over the phosphate menace to the nation's waterways. The phosphate detergents that housewives flush down their laundry drains, say the environmentalists, stimulate the growth of algae. The algae consume oxygen in the water, thus literally choking lakes and streams.

The soap makers, fearing a complete ban of phosphates, wanted the White House to push for federal regulation of the phosphate content of detergents. It would be better to let the federal government set the phosphate limits, they felt, than to risk a complete ban or to deal with varied local regulations.

The lobbyists and lawyers for the detergent industry, soft-soap artists all, held a secret strategy session last April 22 in the Washington law offices of Pierson, Ball and Dowd. The firm represents the Soap and Detergent Association.

"It was initially suggested that Bryce Harlow act as chairman for the group," begins the long-suppressed minutes, "but Harlow himself suggested that he should maintain a low-profile visibility."

—WHITE HOUSE CONTACTS—  
He told the group that he was working inside the White House with presidential aides Peter Flanigan, John Whitaker and Charles Colson. Harlow had also consulted, he said, with Tim Atkeson, general counsel for the President's Environmental Quality Council, and Jim Lynn, then

general counsel for the Commerce Department.

Harlow quoted Atkeson as saying "the last thing in the world would be for industry to propose" that federal limits be set on the phosphate content of detergents. This "automatically would be suspect," Harlow said Atkeson had told him.

Harlow also reported that Lynn was already at work preparing an administration proposal for special legislation to give the federal government control over the ingredients in detergents. According to Harlow, Lynn suggested "that the general hysteria on the subject of phosphate detergents would be slowed down if the federal position were announced."

Harlow cheerfully acknowledged to us that he had spread the soap industry's story to anyone who would listen in the White House and on Capitol Hill.

As he told it, the government had pressured the soap makers to stop using phosphates and to substitute a chemical called NTA, then had abruptly changed signals and had called upon them not to use NTA either. This was forcing them to use caustics which are even more harmful, Harlow said.

All the soap people want, he said, is for the government to make up its mind what should be put into laundry cleaners.

Harlow also denied our report, printed in an earlier column, that he had passed on inside information to Procter & Gamble while he was a White House aide. We had been unable to reach him during the Easter holiday, so we went ahead with a detergents story without talking to him. The story mentioned that he had tipped off Procter & Gamble about a government crackdown on phosphates.

He returned our call after Easter and told us emphatically: "I never talked to any Procter & Gamble people, except to discuss my return to the company, while I was in the White House. I also flatly instructed White House aides not to discuss anything

with me that affected Procter & Gamble. I am proud of my conduct."

—HARLOW'S LOBBYING—  
Once he got back into the soap business, however, the able, articulate Harlow lobbied vigorously with his former associates inside the Nixon Administration and his contacts on Capitol Hill.

Report the confidential minutes: "Bryce Harlow said that the climate for phosphate detergents on Capitol Hill is as bad as he has ever seen on the subject. The Administration is indescribably confused and is pitch battle over what to do..."

"All present agreed that it was necessary to educate a Congress," continue the minutes. "By that is meant the general membership of Congress, not just the members of the committees. Letters should go to each member we know well."

"Bill Geoghegan (then the Soap and Detergent Association's lawyer) is going to put out a fact sheet on what should be contained in the letter. Each person at the meeting is to send in a list of congressmen or senators who they know well enough to write to..."

The big pitch was to get federal control over the content of laundry detergents. The soap industry was willing to accept a limit of 35 per cent phosphates in their products. But they wanted it left open in the legislation, for fear Congress would write in a lower percentage.

President Nixon's environmental czar, William Ruckelshaus, would have authority to set the limits on phosphates under the White House bill. He would set it at 35 per cent, they were promised.

The soap men were assured their bill would come out the way they wanted it. "All of us agreed," noted the minutes, "to try and see an advance copy of the White House material if at all possible so we might make comments before it is firmed up."

Bickering inside the Administration, however, is holding up the legislative proposal.

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Worker, examining his paychecks: "Well, I see the Government got another raise."

It is better to think a good thought about a bad man than to think an evil thought about a good man.

## H. L. Hunt

### UNITED NATIONS DEVELOPMENT FUND

By admitting communist China, the United Nations unmistakably proved that its role in the world affairs is anything but beneficial, either to the interests of the United States or to the cause of freedom throughout the world. Yet the U.S. continues to pour money into the U.N. and its various agencies.

One particularly distressing example is the United Nations Development Fund. (UNDP). This year the U.S. is contributing \$86,268 million to the UNDP budget, more than three times as much as the next largest contributor. This is approximately one-third of the agency's entire budget.

The U.S. should be taking steps to cut off its contributions to U.N. agencies, in view of the policies pursued by that body. But Rudolph Peterson, former head of the Bank of America and new director of the UNDP recently announced that he would seek an increased appropriation of \$100 million from the U.S. Congress.

Fortunately, some members of Congress may not be willing to go along. When Foreign Aid Administrator John Hannah appeared before the House Appropriations subcommittee to testify on the UNDP, he asked if communist countries were eligible to receive UNDP funds. When he said yes, Congressman Otto Possman of Louisiana replied: "The communist countries, who contribute little or nothing, dip into the pot into which we put 35 or more per cent. It goes without saying that is the percentage we are putting into communist countries, willy-nilly." It is time we stopped putting this money into communist countries, and in fact time we stopped putting any more money into the United Nations.

A man will remain a rag-picker as long as he has only the vision of a rag-picker. Doing easy things does not tax us, neither does it challenge us. It is a good plan to tackle one hard job every day. If we do this, we will find that we have exercised our will-power, our mind, and our body to good purpose. One of the rewards of learning to do hard things is the capacity for doing still harder things. So says the Canadian Home Leaguer.

After a tour of the United States, a European was being interviewed on his impressions. The man had seen our skyscrapers, inspected our factories, and visited our natural wonders. But when the reporters asked what had impressed him most, he replied simply, "The size of the American garbage can!"

The darkest hour in any man's life is when he sits down to plan how he can get money without earning it.

If through all his days a man tells the truth as he sees it, keeps his word as he gives it, and works well at his task -- he gets what is called a good reputation.

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## Stroud-Coleman

**MOREHOUSE** - Wedding vows uniting Nedra Darlene Coleman of Sikeston and Ronald Lee Stroud of Morehouse were exchanged March 23 at 7 p. m. in the First Church of the Nazarene.

The pastor, the Rev. Coy O. Presson, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Ellen Coleman of

Sikeston, and the late Jim Coleman. Stroud is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Lee Stroud of Morehouse.

Mrs. Kenneth Wasson, organist, accompanied Arnold B. Heuser, cousin of the bride as he sang "More".

Given in marriage by her brother, Ted Coleman of Sikeston, she wore a floor length gown of white satin

trimmed in white lace. The matron of honor was Mrs. Pat Chapman and the best man was Garrell Gene Lee, both of Morehouse.

Attending the guest book was Myra Byrd. Serving at the reception were Mrs. David Mulcahy, aunt of the bride, and Brenda Stroud, sister of the groom.

The newlyweds will live at 1512 East Kathleen.

Ann Landers

## Secretary Gives Advice To Boss

Dear Ann Landers: You often have pointers in your column on how to be a better wife, husband, mother-in-law, neighbor, or friend. I have never seen any helpful hints on how to be a better boss. I've never been a boss, but I have been a secretary for 18 years and I'd like to make a few suggestions.

(1) It costs nothing to say "good morning" when you come in and "good evening" when you leave. Just a little acknowledging your secretary's existence will help her feel she is something more than a walking typewriter.

(2) When your secretary tells you she cannot read your handwriting, try not to make any cracks about her eyesight. Next time she might not ask what you meant. She'll just put it down the way it looks -- and you'll be sorry.

(3) You married your wife, you secretary didn't marry her. It's a wife's duty to shop for family gifts, write party invitations and thank-you notes.

(4) If your secretary makes a mistake, wait until you can inform her privately. Don't correct or castigate her in the presence of other executives or worse yet, in front of other secretaries. A good boss is also a gentleman. Sign me -- Chicago.

Dear Chi: Here's your letter. As a boss who employs 11 secretaries I took a good, hard look at your suggestions and I see one I might learn from. Thank you.

Dear Ann Landers: I am writing in response to Wife Number Two who objected to her husband's children removing their deceased mother's fine china, silver and paintings from their father's home.

I am a woman who has collected some exquisite objects of art through the years and when I am gone I want my daughter -- not a second wife -- to enjoy them. I can't imagine my husband marrying a woman who did not have some nice things of her own to fill the empty spaces and cover the holes in the wall where my lovely paintings once hung. I have instructed my

daughter to remove my treasures immediately after my death and take them to her home. It is my wish that she enjoy them and pass them on to her children. I hope other mothers will do the same. -- Looking Ahead In Racine

Dear Looking: "Instructions" won't hold up in court if there is a dispute. What is needed is a will. Call a lawyer and make it legal.

Dear Ann Landers: I notice a lot of people write to you about things that aren't really problems. They just need to know how to handle a clumsy situation. Maybe you can help me as you've helped others.

I work in a parking lot. Part of my duties include cashing. I always count the customer's change out loud when I hand it back -- and then I say a cheerful "Thank you!" Some of my

customers reply, "You're welcome." Others say, "Thank YOU..." in a higher voice than mine, with the emphasis on YOU -- as if to say, "You are the one who should be thanked."

My parking lot is self-serve and self-lock. The customer does everything. All I do is take the money. I feel I should not be thanked for enjoying their business. I should thank THEM. If someone says, "Thank YOU" should I respond with, "No -- THANK YOU." -- Pittsburgh Ron

Dear P. R.: If a customer wants to thank you -- let him. Three thank-yous in the space of three seconds is one too many.

Do you feel awkward, self-conscious -- lonely? Welcome to the club. There's help for you in Ann Landers' booklet.

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## New Madrid Community Calendar

**SATURDAY**  
Grace General Baptist Church fish fry will be from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday at the New Madrid Community Building. Tennessee River catfish, French fries, cole slaw, hush puppies and pie will be served.

**SATURDAY**  
University of Tennessee, Martin, youth revival team will lead revival services at New Madrid Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

**SUNDAY**  
Marston Senior Citizens Club meets at 1:30 p.m. Sunday at the United Methodist Church recreation room.

**MONDAY**  
New Madrid County Shirtsleeves meeting is at 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Monday at Howardville school.

**MONDAY**  
Rotary Club meets at 6:15 p.m. Monday at Rosie's Colonial Restaurant, highway 61.

**MONDAY**  
New Madrid Kiwanis Club is sponsoring a chili supper from 4:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday at the New Madrid community building.

**MONDAY**  
Libbourn Civic Improvement Club meets at 7:30 p.m. Monday with Mrs. Betty Dambach. Mrs. George Reuter will speak and show film on her trip to the Holy Land.

**MONDAY**  
Masonic Lodge meets at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Masonic temple.

**TUESDAY**  
Chapter 293, Order of Eastern Star meets at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the Masonic Temple.

**TUESDAY**  
Free chest X-rays for persons 18 or over will be taken from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Howardville post office parking lot and from noon to 2 p.m. at Risco on Main Street by the Christmas Seal mobile chest X-ray unit in cooperation with New Madrid County Health Department.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Jaycees meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday at the Jaycee building, 710 Riley.

**WEDNESDAY**  
First United Methodist Men meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the educational building.

**THURSDAY**  
American Legion meets at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the veteran's building, Highway 61 North.

**THURSDAY**  
New Madrid Woman's Club will not meet Thursday. Members are requested to attend Ninth District spring convention at the Masonic Lodge in Cape Girardeau opening at 9 a.m.

**THURSDAY**  
New Madrid County Child Welfare Advisory Committee is sponsoring an open meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at O'Bannon School, 201 Pinnell, New Madrid, for persons interested in being foster parents for children in need of a home.

**FRIDAY**  
Boothel Squares weekly square dancing is at 7 p.m. Friday at New Madrid community building. Lessons available for beginners.

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Margaret Freeman

## Freeman- Vinson

BELL CITY - Mr. and Mrs. Bill Freeman announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Margaret, to Gary Lee Vinson of Sikeston.

Miss Freeman is a junior at Bell City high school. Vinson, son of Mrs. Ann Vinson of Sikeston, is a 1966 graduate of Sikeston high school. He is employed at Riley's Sunoco in Sikeston.

A June 29 wedding is planned.

## College News

Dash Roberts of Sikeston and Sara Anita Dunagan of Caruthersville are on the dean's list for the winter quarter at the University of Tennessee at Martin.

**MONDAY**

Welcome Wagon will meet at the Heritage House at 7:30 p.m.

**MONDAY**

Okeechobee district round table commissioners meet at 7:30 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church.

**MONDAY**

The VFW Auxiliary will meet at Heritage House for election of officers at 7 p.m.

**MONDAY**

The past matrons and past patrons club of Sikeston chapter 137, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet for a pot luck supper at the Masonic Temple at 6:30 p.m.

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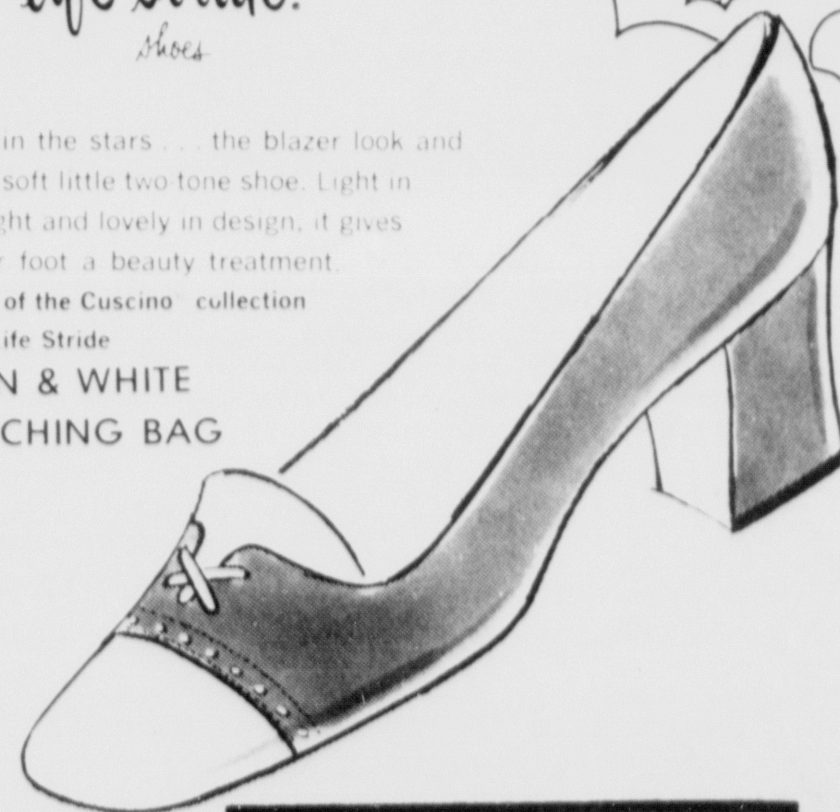
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# New Survey Methods Detect Crop Plans

COLUMBIA — Steady trends in agriculture are really a fantasy. Consider the sharp changes for planted acreage and production of feed grains in the past couple of years.

Feed grains — corn, oats, barley and sorghum — were planted on about 119 million acres in 1970. Last season, acreage was over 128 million.

Donald W. Barrowman, statistician in charge of the Missouri Office of the Department of Agriculture's Statistical Reporting Service, says indications for 1972 plantings point toward 118 million acres. The acreage in Missouri is expected to be 3.8 million acres, compared with 4.5 million last year.

It's too soon to forecast this year's U.S. production but in 1971 more than 205 million tons of feed grains were harvested, a gain of 29 per cent from 1970 and nearly 18 per cent more than 1969.

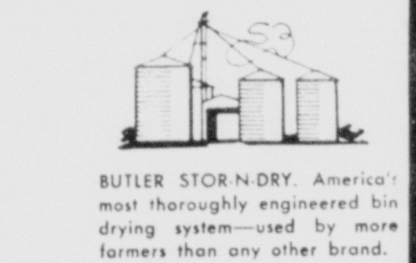
Feed grains were not alone in the 1971 production trend. Many crops last year jumped to new record highs. This upsurge followed a 1970 season in which total crop production was at the lowest level in three years.

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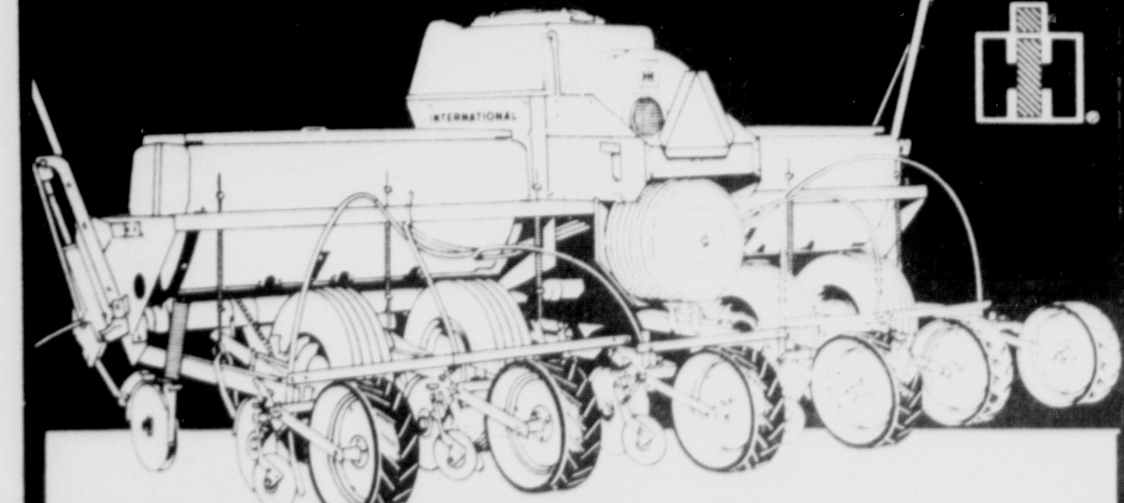
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## Farmers Paid \$90,198,697 For Losses

COLUMBIA — U.S. farmers and landowners in 48 states were paid \$90,198,697 to reimburse them for hail and fire losses to growing crops last year by the crop hail insurance industry. The all-time record payout by Farmers Mutuals and stock companies followed devastating hailstorms in 1971 the Crop Insurance Research Bureau, said.

Hail destroys an estimated \$300 million to \$350 million of growing crops in the U.S. annually with wheat, soybeans, corn, cotton and grain sorghum the principal crops destroyed. Missouri was one of the top loss states with losses occurring on 114 days of the growing season and with hail damage to crops in all of the counties with significant crop acreages.

A hard-hitting July 15 hailstorm in Southeast Missouri covered a 100-mile strip up to eight miles wide destroying an estimated \$20 million of growing crops. Governor Hearnes called it a disaster area and asked for federal aid. University of Missouri agronomists said that crops on 110,000 acres were 90 per cent destroyed and on 140,000 acres 50 per cent to 90 per cent damaged. Insurance adjusters pay on the percentage of estimated loss per acre using stem and leaf damage charts based on years of research at state agricultural colleges.

Crop hail insurance underwriters in 1971 had a combined liability of \$3,730,962,613 in all states. The leading states in value of crops insured against hail are Iowa, Illinois, Nebraska, North Dakota, Minnesota, North Carolina, South Dakota, Texas, Missouri, Kentucky, and Montana.

The sample plots subjected to such scrutiny are quite small. For corn, two-row sections 15 feet long; for wheat, three drill rows 26 inches long; for soybeans, two-row sections three feet long; for cotton, a double-row section 10 feet long. The information leads to yield forecasts.

The new methods of sampling and data collection are more costly than the traditional mail survey.



Philip Kelley

## Kelley Will Serve Bootheel Communities

PORTAGEVILLE — The University of Missouri Extension Division has announced appointment of Philip Kelley to area community development specialist.

Kelley has been assigned to the six county Bootheel. He assumed the job following a six weeks orientation program.

Kelley grew up in Stoddard County and graduated from Bernie High School. He attended the University of Missouri in Columbia for bachelor of science and masters degree programs.

After receiving his bachelor's degree in agriculture economics, he worked as a professional farm manager in North Central Missouri. He has worked in an administrative post for the University of Missouri in Columbia.

The Kelleys have moved to Portageville where they live with their two children.

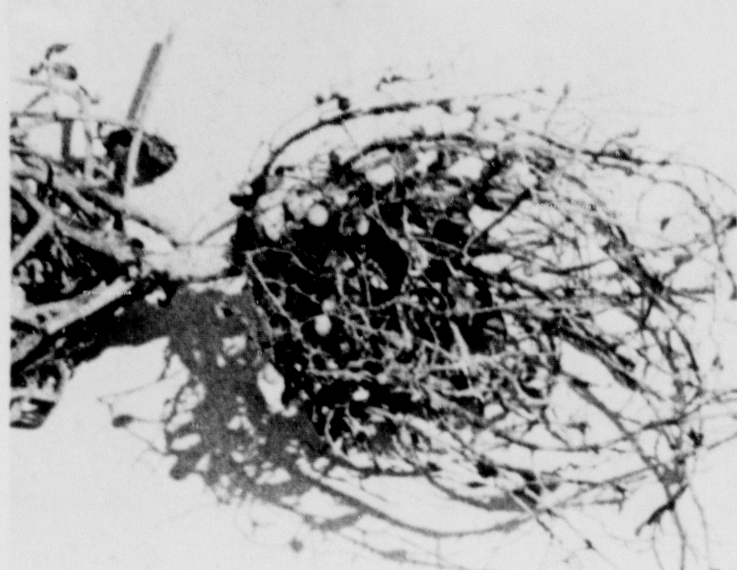
## Coy Franklin Joins Board

CHARLESTON — Mayor Sam Story announced the appointment of Coy W. Franklin to the Charleston Urban Renewal Board.

Franklin, assistant principal at Charleston High School, succeeds O. T. Dalton Jr., who whose term expired March 31, deputy Albert Clements said. He joins George Simmons, Wednesday. "Every time a Willie Hart, Layton Pickard woman came near him, he and James Moran on the board, and will serve a four-year term."

## Monkey Goes Ape At Sight Of Women

RIVERVIEW, Fla. (AP) — A misogynist monkey that "went ape" at the sight of women was shot to death by rabies control officers after it bit two women. "The darn thing just didn't like women," rabies control women was shot to death by rabies control officers after it bit two women. "The darn thing just didn't like women," rabies control women was shot to death by rabies control officers after it bit two women.



VETCH NODULES, the small white balls, provide nature's best form of nitrogen for the cotton crop, according to farm manager Herbert Schueneberg. Farmers plowed or disked cover crops of vetch and wheat getting the ground ready for cotton planting this month. The farm at the south edge of Sikeston is owned by Robert Matthews.

## Nothdurft Star Farmer In District

DELTA — Notification has been received from Carl M. Humphrey, director of Agricultural Education, state department of education, Jefferson City, that Kim Nothdurft a junior student at Delta High School, has been selected as District Star Farmer.

He has been enrolled in agriculture courses and active in Future Farmers of America three years.

His farming program began with one registered gilt and has broadened to include registered Angus Cattle and a variety of field crops.

This past year he engaged in contract hay hauling for area farmers. For three years he has worked on neighboring farms and is working part-time at a Farm Service Center in addition to his own farming activities.

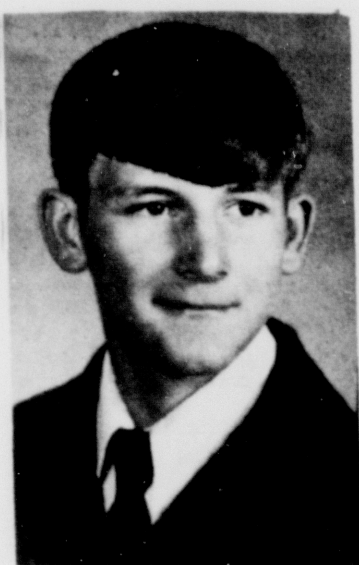
Nothdurft has served as reporter and assistant secretary of his FFA Chapter and as serving as chairman of committees. He has served sub-district 19 as its secretary.

He was a member of the 1970 first place district animal husbandry judging team. He won the 1971 state FFA award, attended the CO-OP Youth Camp, Liberty, National Citizenship Short Course, Washington, D.C. as well as winning the Danforth Award for Cape Girardeau County in 1971.

He is a member of the Delta Baptist Church and participates in the youth department and youth choir activities.

He will attend the State FFA Convention in Columbia April 20-22, and as Star District Farmer is being considered for Star State Farmer. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Don D. Nothdurft.

Mrs. Leonard J. Peermann served as his advisor for two years. His present advisor is George Felker.



Kim Nothdurft

## Some Tomatoes To Be Kept Off Market

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government has reaffirmed its system of keeping portions of the tomato crop out of the marketplace each winter, despite consumer organizations' protests that the plan drives up prices and favors the inferior tomatoes.

The Department of Agriculture, which had thrown out the objections earlier only to be ordered by the courts to reconsider, ruled Wednesday that the program is essential to insure that farmers get fair prices.

The latest Agriculture ruling had been fought by Consumers Union of Mount Vernon, N.Y., and the Mexican Vegetable Distributors Association, whose crop is the most severely restricted by the program.

The ruling adopted the arguments of the Florida Fruit and Vegetable Association, in whose Orlando headquarters the hearings were held last September.

For most of the year, when domestic tomatoes are being grown in California, Florida and the Southwest, there are no restrictions on the size of tomatoes shipped to market.

But during the winter season, when the only domestic tomatoes are coming from Florida, the Florida Tomato Committee selected from local growers bars smaller tomatoes from the market to keep supply down and prices up. The committee's restrictions are adopted nationwide by the Agriculture Department.

One set of restrictions applies to vine-ripe tomatoes, which Florida produces little of in winter, and which Mexican growers are then able to supply in quantity.

## 591 Members In County Farm Bureau

The Scott County Farm Bureau Board met Monday night with eight members present, and Shelton Rhodes, New Madrid, regional manager, speaking on Farm Bureau Insurance.

Mrs. J. L. Buck, membership chairman, reported that Scott County has 591 members. The county needs 14 more to make quota.

Mrs. George Eftink, women's activities chairman, reported that she had placed a board member chart in the Farm Bureau Office showing attendance each month.

George Eftink, marketing chairman, gave a report.

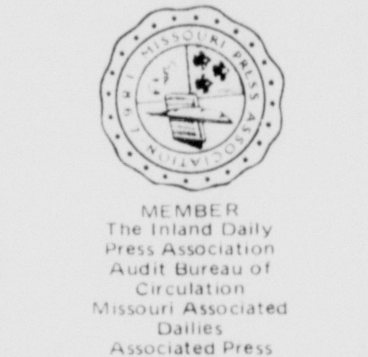
The next meeting will be held May 1.

Another set of restrictions applies to green tomatoes, allowing smaller green tomatoes to be shipped to market at a time when the Florida tomato crop is about 80 per cent green.

Consumers Union and the Mexican growers argued the difference reflects the Florida growers' desire to cut down competition.

The length of time the restrictions are in effect varies from year to year, depending on the market.

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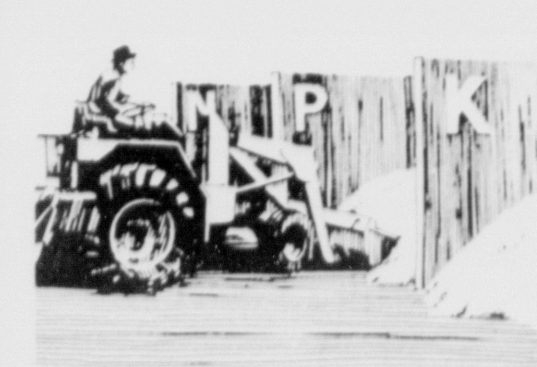


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<b>Tuesday</b> Pork Pattie Tomatoes and Macaroni Great Northern Beans Seasoned with ham Onion Slices Applesauce Corn bread/butter Milk	<b>Sikeston Public School</b> <b>Monday</b> ½ pint milk Ham Slice on Bun Baked Beans Macaroni Salad Pink Applesauce
<b>Wednesday</b> Homemade Beef Stew Peanut Butter Sandwich Carrot and Celery Sticks Apple Pie Crackers Milk	<b>Tuesday</b> ½ pint milk Hamburger on Bun French Fries Cole Slaw Banana Pudding
<b>Thursday</b> Hamburger on Bun Baked Potato/butter Mustard/Catsup Pickles/Onion slices Peaches Milk	<b>Wednesday</b> ½ pint Milk Chicken Salad on lettuce leaf Green Peas Peaches Hot Rolls and Butter
<b>Friday</b> Fish Fillets Baked Beans Chilled Tomatoes Pineapple Upside Down Cake Bread/Butter Milk	<b>Thursday</b> ½ pint milk Bar-B-Q on Bun Potato Chips Mixed Greens Fresh Orange
<b>Matthews Reorganized</b> <b>Monday</b> ½ pint milk Beans and ham Mixed Greens Stewed potatoes with onion Peach Cobbler Bread Butter	<b>Friday</b> ½ pint Milk Meat Loaf Mashed Potatoes Tossed Salad Pineapple Slice Bread
<b>Tuesday</b> ½ pint milk Pizza Burger French Fries Cole Slaw Iced applesauce raisin cake Bread Butter	<b>East Prairie</b> <b>Monday</b> one-half pint milk Hot Dog on Bun Sweet Potato Casserole Potato Chips Pickles Chocolate Cake Butter
<b>Wednesday</b> ½ pint milk Tacos Mexican beans Fruited Jello Hot Rolls Butter	<b>Tuesday</b> one-half pint milk Beef Stew w/Vegetables Crackers Cole Slaw Fruit Cobbler Peanut Butter Butter
<b>Thursday</b> ½ pint milk Chicken and dressing Creamed potatoes Green Beans Plums Hot Rolls Butter	<b>Wednesday</b> one-half pint milk Southern Fried Chicken Whipped Potatoes Buttered Peas Tossed Salad w/Thousand I. Dr. Rolled Wheat Rolls Chilled Fruit Butter
<b>Friday</b> ½ pint milk Pork patty with gravy Corn on the cob Tossed Salad Cherry Cobbler Bread Butter	<b>Thursday</b> one-half pint milk Hamburger on Bun pickles/Onion Slices Buttered Corn Cole Slaw w/ Red Peppers Fruit Cobbler w/ Ice cream Butter
<b>Scott County R-V</b> <b>Monday</b> Hamburger on Bun Onion and pickles Pork and Beans Roll Wheat cake ½ pint milk	<b>Friday</b> one-half pint milk Pork Pattie Whipped Potatoes Lima Beans Seasoned Sauerkraut Chilled Peaches Hot Rolls Butter
<b>Tuesday</b> Italian spaghetti Sweet potatoes Slaw Bread - butter Fruit ½ pint milk	<b>Wednesday</b> one-half pint milk Pork and gravy Whipped potatoes Buttered Corn Hot rolls Butter Jelly ½ pint milk
<b>Wednesday</b> Pork and gravy Whipped potatoes Buttered Corn Hot rolls Butter Jelly ½ pint milk	<b>Thursday</b> Chicken and dressing Slaw Green Beans Peanut butter crunch Bread - butter ½ pint milk

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## Dump At Portageville Reactivated

PORTAGEVILLE — The Pemiscot County Court has given conditional permission to the City of Portageville to use the dump site that was ordered closed three weeks ago by Prosecuting Attorney Art Stephenson. Portageville is in New Madrid county. John Alford, county clerk, said the county court decided Monday to allow Portageville to use the dump for six months only or until the landfill project is in operation, whichever comes first. He said he expects a letter from the State Health Department and the Environmental Protection Agency within a week to 10 days giving their approval. Alford said one of the conditions to the temporary dumping was no burning of trash. This was made to erase the potential of air pollution. The prosecuting attorney said the landfill project should be ready for operation by the first of July. Before being notified of the county court's decision, Portageville Mayor Roy Moore said "we feel locked up here" because of the dump closure. He said a pickup man has been taking trash to the New Madrid dump while the dump has been closed.

## Right Cotton Seed Important

BLOOMFIELD — Cotton planting time is just around the corner, and farmers are wondering what variety of cotton to plant. An idea as to the productivity of cotton varieties tested in research plots in this area may be obtained from the following table. This table outlines average yields of the various varieties produced under various conditions at four locations including a sandy loam, wilt-free, irrigated soil, sandy loam Verticillium wilt-infested, irrigated soil, clay, wilt-free, irrigated soil, and sandy, irrigated soil infested with Fusarium wilt and root knot nematodes during the three-year period 1968-70. YIELD, LBS. ACRE

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MO-DEL	806	
Rex Smoothleaf 66	798	
Coker 201	790	
Auburn M	790	

Cotton varieties vary considerably in their performance under various conditions including soil type, and disease and nematode conditions; therefore, farmers are urged to obtain more specific information as to how each variety performs under conditions existing on their farms. Such information may be obtained at your County University Extension Center. Delcote 277 is a relatively new variety that features an unusual combination of characteristics which are

## New Wing For Poe Clinic

DEXTER — Construction work has begun to expand the Poe Clinic facilities on South Walnut Street. The new wing will house the business offices, a new reception area and office. Additional remodeling is planned for a part of the building creating additional treatment rooms, it was learned this week. The expansion and remodeling is being done by the Duley Brothers. The clinic houses offices for three doctors, Dr. H. A. Poe, Dr. Fuad Kandalaft and Dr. John P. Morgan.

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## Alfalfa Weevils Infest Fields

PORTAGEVILLE — Alfalfa weevil larvae already have been detected in fields in Southeast Missouri. As of March 24, larval counts ranged from three per stem with 90% of the stems infested. Continued warm weather will accelerate egg hatch and larval growth. Severe damage to early growth may be expected in some fields. Controls may be warranted the first week of April. Cool weather may slow hatching and feeding; however, warm weather will speed it up, Area Agronomy Specialist John Garrett says.

Control measures are justified when 35% of terminals (growing tips or buds) show feeding injury along with some leaf skeletonizing on a few of the fully expanded leaflets in the top 1/3 of the plants. Insecticides recommended for ground equipment include 2 quarts of a diazinon - methoxychlor mixture, (Alfa-tox, a commercially prepared emulsifiable concentrate containing 10% diazinon and 20% methoxychlor), or 1 pound Imidan (2 pounds 50% Imidan wettable powder), or 3 pints of a malathion - methoxychlor mixture (a commercially prepared emulsifiable concentrate containing 22% malathion and 22% methoxychlor) per acre.

Malathion at the rate of 1.25 pounds (1 quart 57% malathion emulsifiable concentrate) can be used when the larvae are small and the temperature is above 60 F most of the time. There is a 7 day interval between application and harvest with diazinon-methoxychlor mixture, malathion - methoxychlor mixture and Imidan. There is no preharvest interval with this dosage of malathion.

Insecticides recommended for use by commercial applicators include 0.5 pound azinphosmethyl (2-2/3 pints 17% Guthion alfa insecticide or 1 quart 22% Guthion spray concentrate), or 0.5 pound methyl parathion (1 quart 25%, or 1 pint 44% methyl parathion emulsifiable concentrate), or 0.5 pound Supracide (2 pints of 2E Supracide emulsifiable concentrate) per acre. There is a 16 day waiting period between application and harvest with azinphosmethyl and 15 days with methyl parathion. DO NOT use Supracide within 10 days of harvest and do not make more than one forage and one stubble application per cutting.

Farmers with alfalfa should be scouting their fields for the weevil. If you need help, contact the University Extension Center, Benton, 543-3517.

## Soybean Market Opens In Germany

CARUTHERSVILLE — Market development efforts in Germany opened markets for an additional 2,300,000 bushels of soybeans, according to Charles G. Ross, Jr., president of the Missouri Soybean Association. Missouri is one of the 19 state associations affiliated with American Soybean Association in its efforts to increase market demand and improve profits for soybean farmers.

"Our staff personnel in Germany reports that the final barrier that kept soybean meal out of feed mixes has been eliminated," he said. The German government requirement that all feed mixes contain fish meal is wiped off the books. Through excellent staff work, the fish meal requirements were reduced from 8 percent to 3 percent, then reduced to zero on all but two rations.

"Requirements on those two rations were recently eliminated, allowing feed

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mixers and farmers to choose that the two council their protein ingredient," recounted the ballots and the Ross said. result was a favorable count by Of equal significance, one vote for Mayor Biggs, according to Ross, was the signing of a contract with the attorney. German Margarine Institute. First reports were that which represents all margarine Biggs had lost by one vote. makers. "Although they are Stephenson said he didn't major users of soy oil, most of know if Hawkins is going to their publicity has centered fire on an election contest, is around sun, palm, and coconut continuing the investigation. oil, so our objective is to increase demand through more awareness among doctors, nutritionists, consumers, and manufacturers of the virtues of soy oil," Ross said.

A third major step in Germany was the 10-day Green Week Fair in West Berlin which attracted 480,000 people. "The U.S. has exhibited for 20 years, but this year the theme was 'Soy-Beef City, U.S.A.' The exhibit told the importance of soybean meal in providing quality beef," he said. "Agricultural experts were on hand to answer questions about the profitability of feed grain-soy meal mixes, and all reports indicate considerable interest in the efficiency of soybean meal."

## Holland Vote Questioned

HOLLAND — Pemiscot County Prosecuting Attorney Art Stephenson has been asked to investigate an alleged irregularity in the certification of the results of the mayor's election at Holland. Stephenson said that Wendell Crow, an attorney representing Earl Hawkins, called him asking for an investigation. According to Crow, Hawkins had one more vote than Mayor William Biggs after the ballots were counted Tuesday night. Hawkins claims

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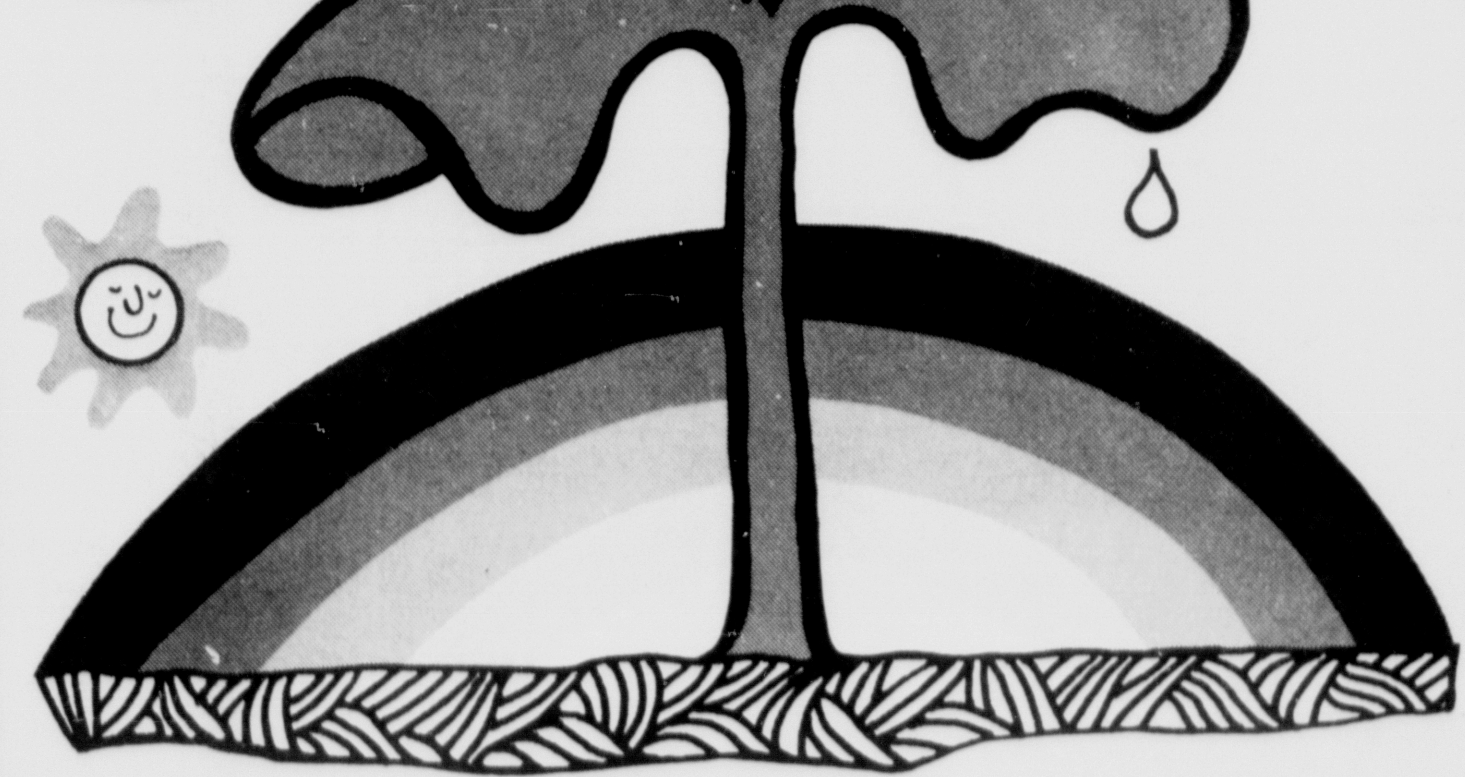
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Sikeston at Charleston  
Chaffee at Kelly  
Senath-Hornersville at North Pemiscot  
Illmo-Scott City at Delta  
Perryville at Notre Dame  
Jackson at Cape Central  
April 12  
Cape Central at Carbondale, Ill.  
Twin Rivers at Bernie  
April 13  
Neelyville at Bernie  
Kelly at Illmo-Scott City  
East Prairie at Delta  
Lilbourn at Senath-Hornersville  
Advance at Bloomfield  
Paducah at Cape Central  
April 14  
Puxico at Bernie  
Sikeston at Notre Dame  
Delta-C-7 at Clarkton  
TRACK  
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Kennett Invitational (Freshmen)  
April 14  
Poplar Bluff Invitational  
TENNIS  
April 10  
Sikeston at Chaffee  
April 11  
Kennett at Sikeston  
April 12  
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Kennett at Sikeston

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — Jack Nicklaus, halfway home to a fourth Masters golf title and the first leg of a Grand Slam, admits that three years ago he became so complacent and disinterested that he was on the verge of giving up the game.

The untimely death of his father and a 1970 victory in the British Open, he said, snapped him back to life.

"My father lived to see me play," the 32-year-old superstar from Columbus, Ohio, said solemnly Friday

after shooting a second-round 71 for 139 that gave him a one-stroke lead over gray-haired Paul Harney after 36 holes over the Augusta National course.

"In my early years on the tour, I was successful. Maybe things came too easy. In 1968 and 1969, I half lost interest. I couldn't get keyed up.

"I was winning money but I wasn't enjoying it. I wasn't working on my game. I was playing sloppy. I had no desire at all to progress.

"Then my father died in February 1970. I asked myself, 'What are we down here for? What is life all about?' I began working harder. Then I won the British Open at St. Andrews. Everything suddenly changed.

"Now I enjoy the game more than I ever did. I have more desire than ever to win."

This newfound flaming desire plus a weight-reducing program that has turned the blond bomber into a trim,

handsome, 185-pound athlete has projected Nicklaus to the undisputed pinnacle of golf, the all-time leading money collector, winner of 11 major championships and recognized by many as the greatest player in history.

Nicklaus spoke feelingly of his inconsistent attitudes after holding firm to his lead in the Masters on a gray, gusty day that witnessed a mild collapse on the part of Arnold Palmer and Sam Snead and the near exit of

valuable Lee Trevino, 1971 Player of the Year.

The 59-year-old Snead, one stroke back of Nicklaus after the first round, blew a 1 1/2-foot putt on the ninth hole, proceeded to bogey three holes in succession and take a fat 75 for 144.

Palmer, 42, darling of Masters galleries and a four-time winner who was only two strokes back at 70, lost his cool after an unfavorable ruling on the ninth hole, took a triple bogey six on the 155-yard 12th and also finished at 75

for 145.

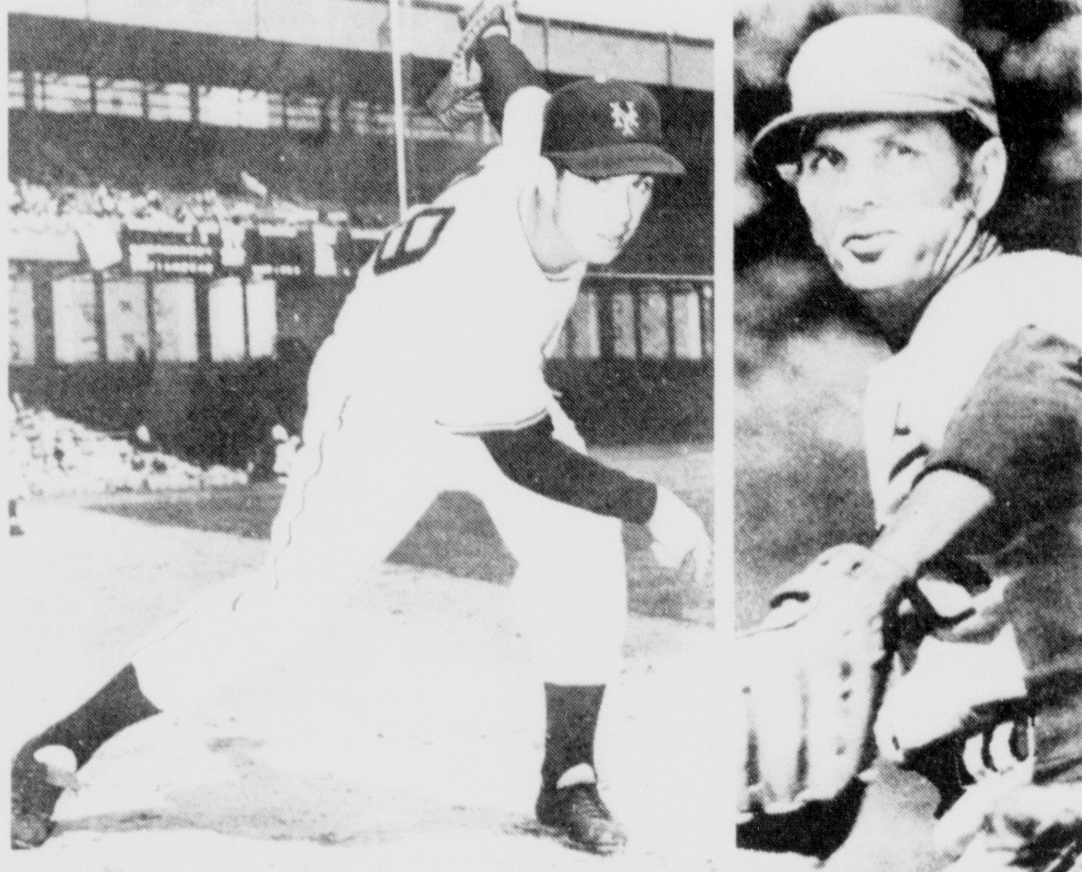
Instead of contenders, they are now just part of the pack as the scissored field of 47 enters the nationally televised third round today over the 6,980-yard, par-72 course.

Trevino, winner of the U.S., Canadian and British Opens in the space of four weeks last year, is hanging by his fingernails at 151—the cutoff point—after adding a 76 to a previous 75.

Back of Nicklaus and Harney, the 42-year-old club pro from Sutton, Mass., came

Bert Yancey, with 72-69-141; Jim Jamieson, a young pro from Moline, Ill., who has never won a tournament, 72-70-142; and defending champion Charles Coody, 73-70, and long-hitting Bobby Nichols, 72-71, tied at 143.

Snead is in the 144 bracket with Argentina's Roberto de Vicenzo, Jerry Heard, Lanny Wadkins, Jerry Pate, Steve Melnyk, Palmer is at 145 with Tom Weiskopf and Bob Mitchell. Bill Caper is 75-71-146. Gary Player 73-75-148.



HOYT WILHELM began his professional baseball career 30 years ago with Moorehead of the North Carolina State League (he won 10, lost 3 with 4.25 earned run average in 23 games), made the majors with the New York Giants in 1952, above, and is still at it this spring as a 49-year-old Los Angeles Dodger relief pitcher, right.

## 1972 Golf Tournament Schedule

APRIL  
15-16 Big Lake C.C. 2-Man Scramble, Manila, Ark. (36)  
29-30 St. Andrews G.C. Open, St. Charles, Mo. (36)  
29-30 Caruthersville, Mo. C. C. 2-Man Scramble (36)  
29-30 Westwood Hills C.C. 4-Man Inv., Poplar Bluff, Mo. (36)  
MAY  
6-7 Perryville, Mo. C.C. 4-Ball Inv. (36)  
6-7 Kennett, Mo. C. C. Member-Guest (36)  
6-7 Jonesboro, Ark. C.C. Mixed Pairs Inv. (36)  
7 Publix Open, Forest Park G.C., St. Louis, Mo. (18)  
12-14 Sugar Creek C.C. Spring Spring 4-Ball, Piggott, Ark. (36)  
12-14 St. Genevieve, Mo. G.C. Open (36)  
13-14 Fredericktown, Mo. C.C. Azalea 4-Ball Inv. (36)  
13-14 New Madrid, Mo. C.C. 4-Ball Inv. (36)  
13-14 Big Lake C.C. Springs 4-Ball, Manila Ark. (36)  
13-14 Westwood Hills C.C. Mixed Pairs, Poplar Bluff, Mo. (36)  
20-21 Kimbrel C.C. 4-Ball Inv., Jackson, Mo. (36)  
20-21 Rolling Hills C.C., Paducah, Ky. Mixed Pairs (36)  
20-21 Paragould, Ark. C.C. 4-Ball Inv. (36)  
20-21 Current River C. C. 4-Ball Inv. Doniphan, Mo. (36)  
20-21 Suburbia G. & C. C. 4-Ball Inv., De Soto, Mo. (36)  
25-28 Jonesboro, Ark. C.C. Pro-Am 4-Ball (36 & 36)  
26-28 Crab Orchard C. C. Pro-Am., Carterville, Ill. (18 & 36)  
27-28 Westwood Hills C. C. Ozark Am., Poplar Bluff, Mo. (36)  
JUNE  
3 Phil Cotton Invitational, Columbia, Mo. C. C. (18)  
3 Lions Club Inv., Cherokee Village, Ark. G.C. (18)  
3-4 Kennett, Mo. C.C. Mixed Pairs Inv. (36)  
3-4 Sikeston, Mo. C.C. 4-Ball Inv. (36)  
3-4 Fox Hills G.C. 4-Ball Inv., Paragould, Ark. (36)  
3-4 Joachim G.C. 4-Ball Inv., Herculaneum, Mo. (36)  
3-4 Bunny Bread Inv., Union Co. C.C., Anna, Ill. (36)  
To be continued

## Owners Stand Pat On Strike

NEW YORK (AP) — Where does the baseball strike go from here?

"It's up to the owners to make a counter-proposal so we can start bargaining," said Marvin Miller, executive director of the striking Major League Baseball Players Association.

"I'm going home," said John Gaherin, representing the club owners.

The s latest exchange occurred Friday night when the 24 owners unanimously rejected an offer by the players to start the season while pension negotiations resumed for up to three weeks, with an impartial arbitrator to be called in if no settlement is reached.

At the same time, the players' group announced plans to file unfair labor practice charges against the owners with the National Labor Relations Board. Dick Moss, counsel for the players association, charged that at least three players have lost their jobs because of their activities with the group.

He declined to name them, but The Associated Press learned that one was pitcher Joe Horlen, recently given his unconditional release by the Chicago White Sox.

Gaherin called the proposal to submit the dispute to arbitration "particularly offensive" to the owners. He then suggested that the players open the season while "the parties, with the assistance of such experts as may be necessary, continue to

negotiate in good faith."

He said "such experts" could be actuaries, adding, "We don't consider arbitrators to be experts."

Answered Miller, "We offered that if they like, the arbitrator could be an actuary."

"Since they haven't bargained in good faith yet, there's no reason to believe they would do so now," Miller said in rejecting that offer.

Gaherin also suggested that the players be secretly polled again on a strike. He said he "has received communication from almost every major league club indicating that some, and probably the majority, of the players want to return to the field."

## KHS Takes SHS Golfers

KENNETT — The Sikeston Bulldogs golf team braved 42-degree weather and 25 mile-an-hour winds to get in their match against the Indians Friday afternoon only to lose 173-185.

Tom Dawson once again was the low shooter for the game with a 41. Dennis Meyer shot 47, Mark Shaw 48, and Jeff Porter had a 49.

Kennett's low shooters were Downing and Matthews with 42s and Don Wilkinson had 44 and Dave Wilkinson shot a 45.

Sikeston is now 1-1 for the year and Kennett is 3-0.

## Sports Corner



### Ron Jaynes

The St. Louis Cardinals season opening baseball game was cancelled Friday night due to the player strike, which seems headed for a long season.

It's a shame that the fans, merchants and owners have to put up with the way the players and their leader, Marvin Miller, are doing. Crying for more money when they are already recipients of the best pension plan and are paid so well for six months work a year.

I've been lucky enough to get the complete text that August A. Busch, Jr., president St. Louis Cardinals, gave to the players at a meeting at St. Petersburg, Fla., March 24.

Some of your readers might be on the border line in this disagreement and some are probably with the players but after you read the following statement by Busch you might take a different view.

Busch statement: "Gentlemen, there has

been a lot of talk and comment about baseball's health, welfare, and pension plan.

"We believe you are entitled to hear from us — face to face — just how we see the present situation. That is why I have asked for a meeting with all of you this morning."

"Wednesday, after hearing a report from our baseball representatives, the presidents of all the major league clubs unanimously agreed on the following statement: quote

"The clubs offered to pay — in either a one year or four year agreement — the increased cost of the excellent life insurance, hospital, and dental care coverage."

"We will continue the current contributions to the pension plan."

"These additional costs will amount to an increase of approximately \$400,000 a year of the clubs' contribution of \$5,450,000 per year."

"That is what we offer — to add \$400,000 a year to what is already the best welfare and pension plan to be found anywhere."

"That goes for any plan in business, in the professions or in sports."

"Most of you already know about the plan, but I would like to review some of the important features for a few minutes."

"The plan provides for outstanding dental and medical coverage for you and your family."

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"The pension plan — which I mention — is without equal."

"We have had several examples recently of how the plan works:

"When one member of the Cardinal organization accidentally lost his life, his family received insurance benefits of \$100,000."

"Another Cardinal player — in recent years — became ill during the season, and the plan provided income for himself and his family."

"Now, about the pension plan itself:

"We know of no other plan which allows an employee — with only four years of service — to start to collect pension payments at as early an age as 45 ... if he chooses to do so."

"If a player waits to collect his pension when most people do — at age 65 — he will get \$7,400 a year."

"And that's with only four years as a player!"

"If a player has ten years of service, he can collect \$18,500 a year for life after age 65."

"He can start drawing a pro-rated amount at age 45 if he desires."

"With twenty years service, a player can draw \$23,000 at age 65 ... and so it goes through the entire range of service in baseball."

"These pension payments are in addition to what other pension plans a player may get into when he goes into private industry."

"They are also in addition

to any social security programs."

"That is our proposal for increasing the payments into the health, welfare, and benefit program ... namely, to pay an additional cost of \$400,000 a year to meet the additional expenses of that program."

"It is my position that this is a very fair and equitable program."

"Mr. Miller does not think so, and he has proposed a strike."

"Such threats as those we have heard of — such as refusal to play in the All Star Game or any other punitive action — can only serve to alienate the fans."

"If we destroy the enthusiasm for baseball shared by millions of fans — both young and old — we will have lost everything!"

"I don't need to remind anyone that all of us rely on the support of these fans for the future of baseball."

"By alienating them, we believe that the players — present and future — are certain to be the biggest losers."

"Without the enthusiastic support of the people who pay to see you play, I suggest to you there won't be any pension plan."

"There won't be any health and welfare plan!"

"And, there won't be any baseball. It is that serious!"

"Let me make it very clear that we are not seeking a 'showdown' with Mr. Miller — or with you — or with

anyone else."

"We are taking our position because we believe it is the only one we can take to guarantee the future of baseball."

"Since most of you are away from home — here in St. Petersburg — it is only fair to tell you our plans in the event of a strike ... as Mr. Miller has threatened."

"You are entitled to know our procedure in order for you to make your own plans accordingly."

"We will provide airplane tickets for each of you to return to your respective homes. Our traveling secretary will help you make your travel arrangements."

"Gentlemen, I want to thank you for giving me this chance to discuss this very important matter with you ... and to give you our point of view."

"And now, Dick Meyer, Big Devine, and I will be glad to try to answer any questions you may have."

"The floor is open."

If you'd like to express your views, just drop me a letter or if you want to go to the top ... fire out a letter to Marvin Miller, Executive Director, Major League Baseball Players Association, New York, New York.

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## PUBLIC NOTICES

CALL FOR THE 1972  
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CONVENTION  
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TO: ALL SCOTT COUNTY  
COMMITTEE MEN AND  
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By authority granted in the  
Constitution and By-Laws of the  
Democratic Party of Missouri  
adopted on April 8, 1971, and as  
amended on March 21, 1972, the  
Township and Ward mass meeting of  
Scott County Democratic Party is  
hereby called to convene on April  
18, 1972, at 2 o'clock p.m., at the  
designated places, to select  
delegates and alternates for the  
County Convention.

The county convention is  
called to convene on May 9, 1972,  
at 2 o'clock p.m., in the Scott  
County Court House at Benton,  
Missouri, to select delegates to  
attend the state convention and the  
district caucus. The same delegation  
shall be sent to both.

The district caucus is May 23,  
1972, place and time to be  
announced later. The state  
convention is called to convene on  
June 10, 1972, at 12 o'clock noon,  
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Every person, is eligible to  
participate, who (1) is a member of  
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defined in Article II, Section 2 of  
the Constitution and By-Laws (2) is  
a resident of the election district  
where said meeting is held (3) and  
who is at least 18 years of age. No  
other requirement shall be imposed.

Every township or ward of a  
county in which a county  
convention is held shall be entitled  
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Convention on the basis of one (1)  
delegate or one (1) vote for every  
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fraction thereof cast in said  
township or ward for the  
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All township and ward mass  
meetings of Scott County, will  
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## Quarry Operators Strike

### Speaker Asks Railroad Aid

Nick Powers of Cape Girardeau, sales representative of the Frisco Railroad, spoke at the Tuesday night meeting of the Kiwanis club at the Ramada Inn.

Powers said hearings would soon start on the surfacing transportation act of 1971.

The bill is a 10-point program designed to help insure the survival and continuing improvement not only of the railroads but also of other major transportation sources, highways and waterways.

Powers told the club that railroad transportation has increased and by 1985 there would be twice as much business as now.

Powers asked the club members to write to their senators and representatives asking them to support the surface transportation act.

Earl Hutchison presented awards to three men for their outstanding work on Kiwanis Panke Day. George Kirk,



**VIVIAN PARKS** of Owensboro, Ky., has been appointed director for the 1972 production of *Rameses*, the story of Moses. The appointment was made by producer Frank Gonzales. The play is performed each summer in the Amphitheater in Kenlake State Park in Aurora, Ky.

coffee maker, was presented a silver coffee pot; Lenzie Beck, cook, was given a spatula and Gary Chullino, waiter was given an apron.

In a report on Panke Day, Jim Stallings said that business was better than last year.

John Bierk of Cape Girardeau was a guest and Steve Hastings of Cape Girardeau was a visiting Kiwanian.

President Dave Bowman announced that the charter night for the new Cape Rock Kiwanis club will be April 18 at the Holiday Inn in Cape Girardeau.

### Ad Manager Retires at Bluff

**POPLAR BLUFF** — Fay P. (Jake) Jacobs, advertising manager of the Poplar Bluff Daily American Republic since 1928, has retired at the age of 69.

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50 years ago April 8, 1922 Dr. H. L. Smith spent Wednesday in Cape Girardeau. A. Ray Smith was a Sikeston.

business visitor in St. Louis this week.

Stephen B. Hunter of Cape Girardeau spent Wednesday in Sikeston.

### What's The Law Track Bet Winner Loses After All

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Bummy became a daily-double winner when Cabbage beat out Girdle in the stretch and won by a head. Unfortunately, the jubilant Bummy never collected. As he was galloping through a corridor to the pay-off window, someone clobbered him on the head, knocked him unconscious and trotted off with his winning ticket.

Awaking a loser, Bummy sued the promoter of the race track not only for his injuries, but also to collect on the daily double.

"A race track promoter has a duty to protect his fans against assault and robbery," he complained in court. "Well, he didn't protect me. And, I've got a glowing nob on my noggin to prove it."

"I'm sorry about that," was the promoter's answer. "but I run a race track and not a protection agency. While I may be responsible for an honest race, I can be held responsible for the human race."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make Bummy a winner by making the tract promoter pay off?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that when a person invites the public to attend sports events on his premises, he has a duty to provide reasonable protection against the possibility of assault and robbery. However, noted the judge, Bummy failed to show how his being clobbered on the head was a result of any breach of duty on the part of the race track promoter so as to make the race track promoter liable for the incident. Based upon a 1967 United States District Court Decision)

**Dowd Attacks New Madrid Endorsement**

**NEW MADRID** — Southeast Missouri politicians are "trying to crank up the old machine one more time, but I think it is about out of gas," Edward L. Dowd, Democratic candidate for governor, said Wednesday in a swing through the Bootheel.

His comment was directed at endorsement by "New Madrid County politicians" of one of his opponents in the gubernatorial race, he said.

The other candidate was not named, but the reference was to Wm. E. Morris, lieutenant governor, who received the endorsement of the New Madrid County Democratic party a few days ago.

"Today's voters are more sophisticated and better informed than anytime in our nation's history," Dowd said. "As a result, they are going to vote their conscience in the secrecy of the voting booth."

He commented on the victory of Daniel Walker in the Illinois Democratic gubernatorial contest and declared it demonstrated that machine politics is a relic of generations past. The people of

**Armed Forces**

Johnnie Allen Smith of Sikeston and Paul David Brock of Marston have enlisted in the navy.

Smith, son of Mrs. Gertrude Reece of Sikeston, will be sent to the Naval Training Center at Great Lakes, Ill.

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Commerce — Mrs. Jack Williams is up from Oklahoma on a visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Blackledge.

40 years ago March 8, 1932 Mrs. Tom Meyer and Mrs. Jesse Cramer were in Cape Girardeau, Wednesday. While there Mrs. Cramer purchased a new 1932 Chevrolet standard coupe from the Ruesseler Motor Co.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James Johnson on Scott street is being repaired of the damage caused by a recent fire. The house has been re-roofed and the interior will be redecorated. Mr. Johnson and family expect to move back to their home next week.

Mrs. Lou Calvert died at her home in Libbourn April 2, cause of death, pulmonary tuberculosis.

Route 1 — Farmers of the Tanner District are taking advantage of the warm balmy weather this week in their fields.

30 years ago April 8, 1942 Bertrand — Mrs. C.C. Kindred visited her brother at Jefferson Barracks Sunday.

Vanduser — The Rev. Freeman Unsell, pastor of the church of God at Morley, will resign Easter Sunday to accept a pastorate at Carey Mills, Ill.

Morley — A son was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Foster. This is the first son in the family, but is the second child. Mrs. Foster was before her marriage, Miss Maureen Gately of Oran.

Taylor Wilson sustained injuries to his left hand, which necessitated amputation of the third finger, when he accidentally caught the hand in the fan belt of his car Sunday night.

J.T. Patmore and A.J. Day, public accountants, have joined E.H. Berry in the offices in the Stalcup Building and the firm now is known as Berry-Patmore-Day Co.

Lt. John R. Watts of the Army Air Corps has notified

**BENTON** — Joe J. Ziegler was reelected president of the Scott County R-I-V Board of Education in reorganization Tuesday night following the school election at which Herschel Gilpin and Ben Vinyard were reelected to the board.

Vinyard received 363 votes and Gilpin, 356.

Vinyard was reelected vice president and Bill Graham was reelected secretary.

A proposal to increase the school levy by 25 cents on the \$100 assessed valuation failed 197 to 274.

### Eight Years For Assault

**CARUTHERSVILLE** — Percy Burns, a 40-year-old ex-convict, was sentenced to eight years in the Missouri Department of Corrections after he admitted to a felony charge stemming from an assault with intent to rape.

Circuit Judge William Ragland, Caruthersville, handed down the sentence after Burns pleaded guilty to the charge stemming from an incident in Caruthersville earlier this year.

Burns was one of two men ordered to serve sentences in Pemiscot County Circuit Court.

Prosecuting Attorney Art Stephenson had charged Burns with breaking into a Caruthersville woman's home earlier this year. Authorities said the woman's boyfriend was asleep when the man broke in. Burns was accused of ordering the woman to remove her undergarments at which time her companion awoke and attacked the man. As the two struggled out the front door, a Caruthersville police car was cruising by and arrested Burns on the scene. He had been released from prison before the incident occurred, authorities said.

**Patterson Opposes Hike In School Aid**

**JEFFERSON CITY, Mo.** (AP) — Here is the Senate roll call increasing the amount of state aid for schools from \$304 million this year to \$339 million next year:

For—Bradshaw, Cason, Cox, Esely, Gant, Howard, Johnson, Jones of Kansas City, Lee, Merrell, Noland, Payne, Schechter, Schneider, Skelton, Spradling, Stone, Tinnin, Vanlandingham, Webster, Wilson.

Total 21.

Against—Avery, Brancato, Jones of St. Louis County, Keating, Linehan, Manford, Owens, Patterson, Pentland, Waters, Young.

Total 11.

Absent—Blackwell, Joynt.

**Q—What is the British equivalent of our legal holiday?**

A—In Great Britain, the term "bank holiday" means the same thing that the term "legal holiday" means in the United States.

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his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O.N. Watts, 225 Ruth street, that he has arrived safely in Australia.

20 years ago April 8, 1952 Six teachers were employed at the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Education last evening to fill vacancies on the faculty created by resignations. Superintendent of Schools Lyn Twitty announced today. Those approved were LaWanda Calhoun of Sikeston; Sue Stephens and Patsy Van Hook of Corning, Ark.; Floyd Rice, who taught last year at Cooter; Willene England, also of Sikeston; and Miss Martha Strayhorn of Nashville, Tenn.

Claude John Jameson, 53, well known Sikeston Certified Public Accountant, died of a heart ailment today, at his home, 604 North Kingshighway.

Peggy Ruth Nickens celebrated her 13th birthday with a party last evening at her home, 220 North Prairie.

Virginia Ann Malcolm, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pleas Malcolm, celebrated her 10th birthday Monday with a party in the play room of the garage.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Blackman of Bertrand are parents of a baby girl born yesterday at the Delta Community Hospital.

It's a baby girl for Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Skiles of New Madrid born yesterday.

New Madrid — Cpl. Beverly L. Thompson left Monday after a weekend visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Beck Thompson. Cpl. Thompson is an instructor in weather observation at Chanute Field, Ill.

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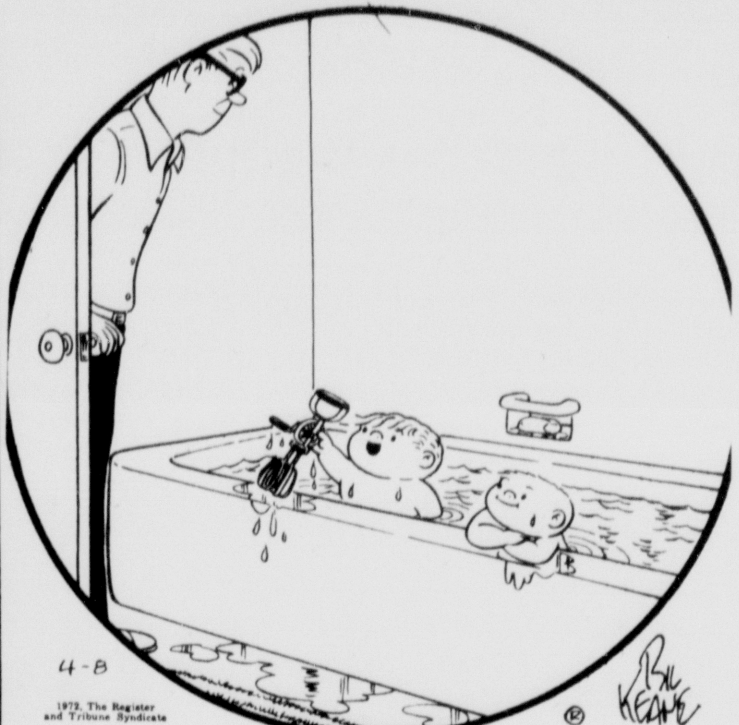
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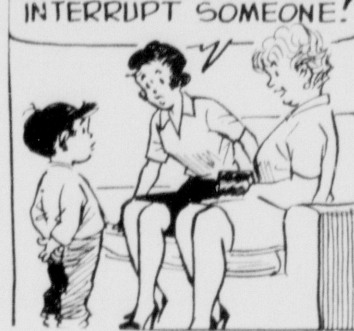
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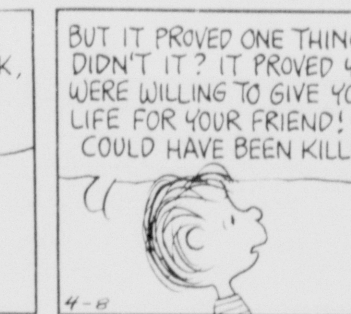
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## Today In U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Saturday, April 8th, the 99th day of 1972. There are 267 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1513, the Spanish explorer Ponce de Leon landed in Florida in his search for the fountain of youth.

On this date: In 1663, the Drury Lane theater opened in London.

In 1730, the first Jewish congregation in America consecrated its synagogue in New York City. The congregation dated back to 1655.

In 1826, Secretary of State Henry Clay fought a duel with Sen. John Randolph of Virginia. Neither was hurt.

In 1939, King Zog of Albania fled from Italian occupation forces.

In 1895, the U.S. Supreme Court declared that an income tax law passed the year before was unconstitutional. Taxes that had been collected were returned.

In 1918, the U.S. Army ordered its first air squadron to duty in World War I.

Ten years ago: A referendum in France approved a peace settlement with nationalist rebels in Algeria.

Five years ago: A study was published asserting that 15 percent of Princeton University's undergraduates had experimented with drugs.

One year ago: It was announced that the U.S. death toll in Vietnam totaled 88 in the past week. It was the highest toll in nine months.

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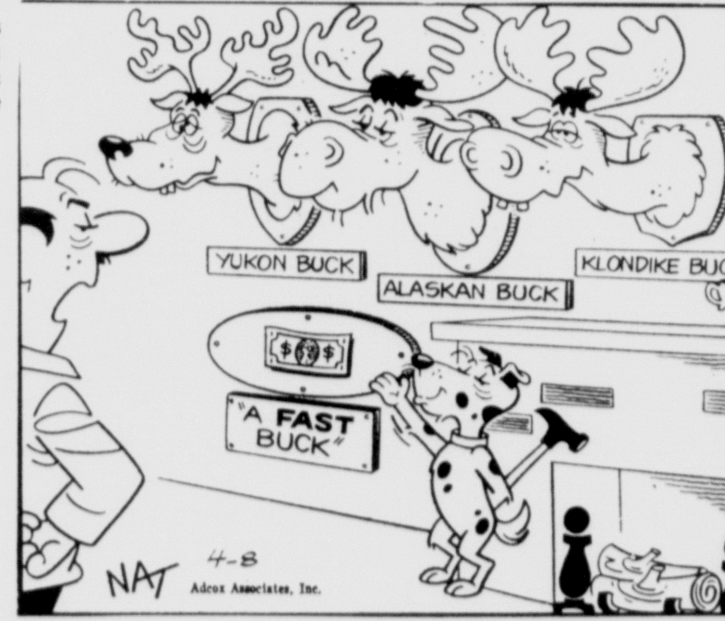
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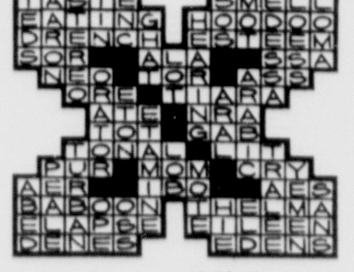
"Be consistent, Harold! When he was little, you complained about the things he did... now you complain about what he WON'T do!"



## Female and Male

- ACROSS**
- 1 Feminine pronoun
  - 4 Young woman
  - 8 Youthful males
  - 12 Writing implement
  - 13 Notion (Fr.)
  - 14 Athena
  - 15 Equine tidbit
  - 16 Trifles (var.)
  - 18 Braced framework
  - 20 Snow gliders (var.)
  - 21 Rights (ab.)
  - 22 Snoozes
  - 24 Glut
  - 26 Stimulate
  - 27 Demented
  - 30 Slip away, as time
  - 32 Distend
  - 34 Dried grape
  - 35 Musical studies
  - 36 Feminine
- DOWN**
- 1 Blemish
  - 2 Give ear to
  - 3 Amuse
  - 4 Presents
  - 5 False god
  - 6 Soften in
  - 37 — and master
  - 39 Keg
  - 40 Roman emperor
  - 41 Russian community
  - 42 Malicious burning
  - 45 Battering
  - 49 Deduced
  - 51 Mien
  - 52 Fencing sword
  - 53 Girl's name (Fr.)
  - 54 Blithe (Fr.)
  - 55 Plant ovule
  - 56 Eau (Bib.)
  - 57 Cleopatra's serpent
  - 28 Philippine sweetsop
  - 29 Writing table
  - 31 Taciturn
  - 33 Clear
  - 38 Spherical
  - 40 Keen of scent
  - 41 Feminine title
  - 42 High cards
  - 43 Large, stout cord
  - 44 To cut
  - 46 City in Nevada
  - 47 East Indian island
  - 48 Grasp
  - 50 Scottish explorer

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